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Editorials

NATHAN STRAUS

In the death of Nathan Straus American Jewry has lost its most beloved figure.

There are and have been many personages who have commanded the respect and admiration of the Jewish community. None, however, have enjoyed the whole-hearted affection which the Jewish public has ever felt for Nathan Straus.

Nathan Straus was a philanthropist in the finest sense of the term. His sympathies were broad and embraced the needy of all races and creeds.

He was however more than a philanthropist, or charitarian. He did not content himself merely with giving money. When he realized that a cause was worthy, he gave generously of himself, his sympathies, his warmth of heart, his kindliness of spirit.

In his relationship with the Jewish people, he tendered the full resources of his personality to the relief and ennoblement of Jewish life. He was a Zionist. When he contacted the spirit of his people, his own generous spirit broadened and stretched so that it might retain its intimate touch with all phases of Jewish activity. His Zionism was not a matter of intellectual judgment. He believed in Zionism as a theory and as a method. But he was a Zionist rather because as a noble character, he could not stay away from an activity into which were poured the most generous impulses, the finest idealism of his people.

Nathan Straus passed away at a ripe age. One feels that the grand old man had already done his work. There is lacking the sense of tragedy which is present in the departure of many great personalities. Nevertheless, the Jewish people will grieve sincerely at the passing away of the loveable, venerable old man.

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THE ZIONIST CONGRESS

While no official announcement has been made, the probability is that the proposed Zionist Congress which was to be held in Carlsbad on the 24th of next month, will be postponed indefinitely. And if no Congress will be convoked in the near future, it is likely that none will take place until the regular date, sometime during the middle of next summer.

Since the last Congress, events of transcendent importance have occurred which have altered the entire complexion of the Zionist situation. The Arab outbreaks, the Shaw Commission report, the Simpson Report, the Passfield White Paper, the resignation of the three Zionist leaders, and latterly the death of Lord Melchett—, these happenings have revolutionized the condition of Zionism. Now, the Congress is the supreme instance in the management of Zionist affairs. It is true that its democratic character may militate against its effectiveness. Democracy is everywhere under review at the present time. Nevertheless, the Congress is still our accredited instrumentality for dealing with Zionist affairs. It therefore becomes necessary to place into working condition our medium for handling Zionist matters. The Jewish world has been dealt a severe blow. It behooves it to take a definite stand towards the new situation. The Congress is the institution that is best able to formulate the Jewish reaction and to render it articulate.

The Congress may, or may not, be able to rise to the heights which the exigencies of the moment require, and furnish the leadership and guidance which we need. It is the best instrument that we have available. If it fails, we will at least realize our weakness. And out of the realization may come strength.

A.B.B.

A TRUE PHILANTHROPIST

Rabbi Maurice N. Eisendrath.

So frequently is the word 'philanthropist' carelessly misused and horribly abused that its true meaning has almost completely departed, leaving a few emasculated syllables which seem to connote anyone who drops a few surplus crumbs from his banquet table for the delectation of the starving beggars that swarm about it petitioning piteously for a morsel of bread. For any man of wealth magnanimously to sign a check for a mere fraction of his annual income and lavishly to bestow it upon the less fortunate (or less lucky) is usually sufficient to compel the rabbi to include the word 'philanthropist' in his eulogy — notwithstanding the fact that he may have parted with his pittance grudgingly and in his greed for gold he may have taken advantage of his fellow beings. Such loose use of language is the height of hypocrisy, to say the least. Philanthropist means nothing at all if it describes not one who in every sense of the word is a 'lover of man.'

To Nathan Straus, just departed from this world, the term 'philanthropist' must without hesitation be applied. Passionately did he love his brethern; fervently did he labor to alleviate their sufferings and to make their woes his own. No mere check signing charity was his; no mere loud and ostentatious display marked his munificent giving, but humbly did he spread his largesse wherever there was human need. Nor did he, as so many of us are prone to do, give only out of his ample income; from his principal as well he dared to take when the cry of distress grew more poignant than his usual gifts could possibly allay. Few have ever dared to excoriate their friends and social circle in such challenging phrases as did he when pleading for the poor.

Nor was it gold alone that he gave so bountifully. Never did he shirk or shrink from giving of himself to the very fullest. Into righteous causes he threw himself unstintingly and wherever wrong maintained he did not spare to lift up his voice in protest. He was to the very deepest core of his being—a Jew. He fled not from its supposed burden, not fretted at its alleged handicaps. His battle against anti-semitism was always forthright and manly. He cringed not; but ever stood erect as a proud and loyal son of Israel.

His devotion to Zion was another expression of his passionate humanitarian spirit. To its rehabilitation he devoted much of his time and money during those fleeting and precious declining years. His health clinic, recently dedicated by that most noble of all American Christians, John Haynes Holmes, will be a lasting monument to his generosity and zeal. And what can some of our chauvinists say of his spontaneous gift to the *Arabs* when in the summer of 1927 an earthquake wrought havoc in their midst?

A lover of men, a true philanthropist, a prince in Israel has fallen. His four score and three years have blessed abundantly his people, have enriched the world, have set up an ideal of humanitarianism and selfless service which it were well to emulate, and his memory indeed will be a treasure unto all who follow after him. Particularly will hosts of little children rise up to praise his name. We join with all men everywhere, both within Jewry and without, in mourning his loss and in extending to his dear ones our deepest and most heartfelt sympathy.

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A. Sommer, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Sommer, Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosenfeld, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Ginsberg, Mr. and Mrs. C. Asch, Mr. and Mrs. A. Gould, and Mrs. S. Medine gave a formal surprise party Wednesday night, January 7, at the home of Mrs. S. Medine, Sherbrooke Street West, for 40 guests, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. C. Kaplan, Duquette Street, who celebrated their silver wedding anniversary. The house was decorated with 'mums and roses, and the tables with 'mums, roses and ferns, the color scheme being carried out in red and silver. Mrs. S. Medine received in a lamé cloth gown, assisted by her daughter, Mrs. C. Asch, in black lace and chiffon; Mrs. Charles Sommer, in black velvet; and Mrs. Morris Ginsberg, in beige color crepe, and Mrs. H. Rosenfeld, in black lace. The guests of honor received silver gifts.

Mrs. Charles Samit, formerly of 15 Churchill, Westmount, is living at 3465 Vendome Avenue, Apartment 6.

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Emil Regal, Sherbrooke Street West, has left for New York and Philadelphia to be away for ten days.

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Louis Baker, of Ogdensburg, N.Y., visited his daughter, Mrs. M. Seidel, Bloomfield Avenue, last week-end.

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Miss Ray Baker, of Buffalo, who was with her sister, Mrs. M. Seidel, Bloomfield Avenue, for the holidays, has returned.

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Maxwell Goldstein, K. C., and Mrs. Goldstein, leave this week for California.

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Lady Henriette Davis and her nephew, Philip Davis, who were guests at the Ritz-Carlton last week, left on Saturday en route to Palm Beach, Florida, where they will spend the remainder of the winter.

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M. O. Kirsch, Elm Avenue, is on a two weeks' trip to Phoenix, Arizona.

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Mrs. M. Silverman, Notre Dame de Grace Avenue, is home after spending several months in Sudbury, Ont.

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Mrs. L. Marcus, Querbes Avenue, has left to spend a few weeks in New York, with her daughter, Mrs. Fay Keller.

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Mrs. Irving I. Selig, Sherbrooke Street West, who was a patient at the Royal Victoria Hospital, is convalescing at home.

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Miss Doreen Pelt, Davaar Avenue, Outremont, spent a week in Ottawa, visiting relatives.

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Miss Leona Silverman, R.N., of New York, is visiting her mother, Mrs. M. Silverman, and Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Mendels, Notre Dame de Grace Avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Sydney Levitt, Belfrage Road, are leaving January 22 on a trip to the West Indies.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. Herscovitch, St. Urbain Street, have returned from New York, where they attended the marriage of their daughter, Rae, to Abe Gross, both of Montreal.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. M. Lande, St. Joseph Blvd. West, have left on a trip to the West Coast and will be away for two months.

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Mrs. Arthur Ehrenfeld and Miss Rose Klein, of New York, are visiting their mother, Mrs. L. Klein, Wiseman Avenue.

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Mesdames L. H. Aber and S. Holzberg were joint hostesses at a surprise dinner January 1 in honor of their brother, Moe Rudolph, who has just recovered from an illness. The house was decorated with roses and carnations. The guest of honor received gifts from the immediate family. Bridge prizes were won by Mesdames A. Kohos, and M. Rudolph. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. Rudolph, Mr. and Mrs. A. Kohos, Mr. and Mrs. A. Sinclair, Mr. and Mrs. Moe Herscovitch, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Aber, Mr. and Mrs. P. Holzberg, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Aber, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Holzberg, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wolman, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Belkin.

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Mrs. S. Clark, Duquette Street, entertained Saturday night, January 10, in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kaplan, who celebrated their silver wedding anniversary. Decorations were daffodils. Guests were Mr. and

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Cobrin, of Shawinigan Falls, celebrated their second wedding anniversary at a dinner at a restaurant Tuesday, January 6.

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Mr. and Mrs. A. Schafer, Park Avenue, have left to spend two weeks at Rabiner's Hotel, Ivy North.

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Mrs. E. Godinsky, Hutchison Street, has left to spend six weeks at Miami, Fla.

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Miss Evelyn Sturman, was bridge hostess Saturday evening, January 10, to Misses Fanny Benjamin, Pearl Telisman, Lena Lake, Pearl Geller, Lily Pap, Claire Bellman, Minnie Pap, Fay Stein, Fanny Zussman, Rose Kutzin, Estelle Widenfeld, and Mrs. A. Bratter. Prizes were won by Misses Pearl Geller, Fay Stein and Fanny Zussman.

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Mrs. Hyman Baum and baby, Beryl, Park Avenue, have left for Salt Lake.

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Miss Fay Schafer, St. Urbain Street, is back from a ten days' visit with Mr. and Mrs. L. Cobrin, Shawinigan Falls.

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Miss Claire Gross gave a bridge and tea, Sunday afternoon, January 11, for her sister, Mrs. Maxwell I. Bloomfield, of New York, at 3797 Girouard Avenue.

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Entertainments given in honor of Miss Doris Winikoff, whose marriage to Dave Kimmel took place Thursday, January 15, were given by: Mrs. A. Chodos, linen shower at Kupchicks; Mrs. A. Natmer, Maplewood Avenue, handkerchief shower and tea; Mrs. C. Blond, personal shower at the Samovar; and Miss Bella Dalys, bridge.

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Miss Ruth Tannenbaum, who is studying art at Vesper George School in Boston, visited her parents Dr. and Mrs. David Tannenbaum, Sherbrooke Street West.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kaplan, Duquette Street, are leaving next week to spend a few weeks in Atlantic City and New York.

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Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kaplan, Duquette Street, entertained Sunday, January 11, for the family in honor of their silver wedding anniversary. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Sommer, Abe Sommer, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Asch, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ginsberg, Mrs. S. Medine, and Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosenfeld, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Gould. Floral decorations were daffodils and the color scheme was green and yellow.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Markolies, Rosiver Avenue, have left on a cruise to the West Indies to return next month.

Mrs. Sara Nyman, of Brantford, Ont., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. Rose, Sherbrooke Street West.

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Mrs. Maurice Greenblatt, who accompanied Mr. Greenblatt to New York, whence he sailed on the Adriatic for Europe, is returning home this week-end.

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Miss Violet Ettenberg, Haddon Hall, entertained at a formal bridge Saturday, January 10, in honor of Miss Sylvia Bill, of Winnipeg.

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As a courtesy to Miss Lily Greenberg, whose marriage to Sam Shousterman took place January 4, Mrs. Tillie Pinkoff, gave a miscellaneous shower at the Carmen Sylva; and Mrs. A. Bulum, a linen shower at the Carmen Sylva.

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Miss Ida Levine entertained at a bridge Wednesday, January 7, welcoming Misses Lillian Itcovitch, Doris Medikoff, Dorothy Wolfe, Rose Mayle, Dora Medikoff, Dora Levine, Rose Medikoff, Lily Zelaznick, Ida Litvack, Anne Segal, Yettie Stein, Ida Levine. Prizes were won by Misses Lillian Itcovitch, Rose Medikoff, and Lily Zelaznick. Miss Doris Medikoff poured the tea.

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Mr. and Mrs. Z. Wachman, 795 Davaar Avenue, entertained Wednesday evening, December 31, to celebrate their fifteenth wedding anniversary. The dinner table was arranged with a centre of Talisman roses and lighted by tall orange candles. Yellow 'mums and pink roses decorated the living room and reception hall. Mrs. Z. Wachman received, wearing a black and white chiffon gown. Mrs. I. Shapiro assisted in serving and Mrs. I. Wachman cut the ices. I. Shapiro sang accompanied by Mrs. H. Levy at the piano. Miss Irene Greenberg sang and entertained. Serpentines, crackers and balloons were distributed to Mr. and Mrs. I. Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. H. Levy, Mr. and Mrs. S. Nitkin, Mr. and Mrs. W. Skolnick, Mr. and Mrs. M. Baldovitch, Mr. and Mrs. I. Wachman, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. C. Dolman, Mr. and Mrs. L. Grauer, Mr. and Mrs. M. Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. D. Greenberg, Misses Irene Greenberg, Ruth Greenberg, Lillian Wachman, Kate Hecht, Kate Skolnick; and Sam Greenberg and George Shapiro.

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Entertainments in honor of Miss Jennie Smilovitz, whose marriage to Sam Friedman took place Wednesday, January 7, were given by: Mrs. Joseph Friedman, linen shower at the Windsor Hotel; Miss Doreen Pelt, personal shower at the Samovar; Mrs. H. Marcovitch, crystal shower at the Berkeley Hotel; Mrs. J. Nadler, china shower at the Windsor Hotel; Mrs. L. Leibovitch, St. Urbain Street, tea; Miss Rose Rothblatt, Esplanade Avenue, bridge.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shuster, 5280 Hutchison Street, gave a formal dinner, January 3, in honor of their twenty-second wedding anniversary. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. A. Rabin, Mr. and Mrs. H. Berkson, Mr. and Mrs. M. Shuster, Mr. and Mrs. M. Browman, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sibin, Mr. and Mrs. H. Gertler, Mr. and Mrs. O. Leckner, Mr. and Mrs. S. Aizanman, Misses Pearl Aizanman, Essie Shuster, Ruth Shuster, Fay Shuster, and Syd Morris, Harry Bellman, Dave Green, and Hy Shuster, Misses Fay Shuster, Syd Morris and Hy Shuster, entertained.

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Miss Ruby Flanders, Durocher Avenue, gave a Bohemian supper and dance in honor of Mr. and Mrs. I. Kurtz, of Winnipeg and Moosejaw.

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Miss Geraldine Rothsenid, Sherbrooke Street West, entertained Saturday, January 10, in honor of Miss Rose Klein and Mrs. Archie Bronfield, of New York.

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Sunday Miss Dot Jacobs entertained two tables of bridge at her home, 50 Fairmount Ave. Prizes were won by Misses Eva Switzer and Dot Shuster. Mrs. [illegible] assisted. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Rubinow, Misses Rose Klein and Eva Switzer, Dot Shuster, Mr. and Mrs. Shuster, Mrs. [illegible] Shuster.

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Miss Mary Ross was hostess at a party in her home in Snowdale Avenue, Saturday evening, January 10, in honor of Misses Betty Nurnick, Sadie Miller, Ida [illegible], Ruth Ross, Dave Ross, Dot Shuster, Sam Stern, Max Rosenfeld, Harry Ross, Sam Ross, Ben Nurnick, Jimmy Ross, Sam Ross, Nat Nurnick and Joe Ross. Miss Ruth Ross, Miss Sadie Miller, Mr. [illegible] of Miss Mary Ross were hostesses at a party in her home in Snowdale Avenue, Saturday evening, January 10, in honor of Misses Betty Nurnick, Sadie Miller, Ida [illegible], Ruth Ross, Dave Ross, Dot Shuster, Sam Stern, Max Rosenfeld, Harry Ross, Sam Ross, Ben Nurnick, Jimmy Ross, Sam Ross, Nat Nurnick and Joe Ross. Miss Ruth Ross, Miss Sadie Miller, Mr. [illegible] of Miss Mary Ross

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Mr. and Mrs. H. Kurtz and sons, Edward and Jackie, of Winnipeg, and Moosejaw, who spent the past month visiting Mr. Kurtz's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Kurtz, 397 St. Joseph Boulevard West, left Sunday, January 11, to spend two weeks in Winnipeg with Mrs. Kurtz's parents, before returning home.

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Mr. and Mrs. Henry Shuster, 4259 Hutchison Street, were hosts at a formal dinner to celebrate their twenty-second wedding anniversary. Mr. and Mrs. David Sack, Mr. and Mrs. Hyman Shuster, Mr. and Mrs. Myer Nudel, S. Silver, Sam Silver, Bernard Nudel, Harold Nudel, Miss Lily Sack, and Charles Shuster were there. Miss Lily Sack entertained.

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Mr. and Mrs. B. Kurtz, St. Joseph Blvd., West, entertained at a farewell party Sunday night, January 11, in honor of their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. Kurtz, of Winnipeg and Moosejaw.

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Miss Fanny Roman, 376 Redfern Avenue, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Roman for the past ten days, has returned to New York where she is studying at the Traphagen School of Fashion.

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E. Kaplansky, of Toronto visited his sister Mrs. B. J. Hayes, Winchester Avenue.

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M. Kaplansky, of Edmonton, Alta. who was visiting Mr. and Mrs. Alex Lesser, Notre Dame de Grace Avenue, has gone back.

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Miss Dorothy Wallenberg, of Brooklyn, N.Y., was visiting relatives here.

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J. A. Kaplansky, of Hamilton, visited his father A. L. Kaplansky, Sherbrooke Street West.

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Those who entertained for Miss Tillie Fishman, whose marriage to B. Constantine takes place Sunday, January 18, were: Mrs. S. Constantine, Marie Anne West, tea; Mesdames J. Fishman, L. Aronoff, and J. Seltzer, kitchen and linen shower at Kupchick's; Misses Eva Bogante and Rose Ginsberg, tea; Mrs. M. Fishman, Laval Avenue, tea; Mrs. L. I. Taveroff, Durocher Avenue, tea; Miss Betty Fishman, St. Urbain Street, tea and bridge; Mrs. G. Pollack, Esplanade Avenue, bridge and tea.

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Hostesses who entertained in honor of Miss Fanny Roman, who is studying at the Traphagen School of Fashion in New York, were: Mesdames Lesser Sammelsohn, Charles Redlich, Wilfred Stein, Jacob Rubin, Frank Redlich, Misses Zella Bronfman, Sybil Glickman, Henrietta Hayes, Muriel Glickman, Betty Sammelsohn, Molly Wilder, Frances Goltman, Lottie Rabinovitch, Phae Redlich, Helene Simon.

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Miss Bessie Vatch, St. Joseph Boulevard West, entertained Saturday, January 10, in honor of Miss Libby Marcovitch. Supper was served at midnight to Misses Libby Marcovitch, Bessie Vatch, Sema Katz, Sylvia Plotnick, Anne Adelman, Gertie Caplan, Molly Keller, Mildred Polishuk, and Mandy Moscovitch. Usher Dobrotsky, Nat Messer, Charlie Goft, Ben Rosen, Sol Gasol, George Gessel and Joe Mushnick. Miss Sylvia Plotnick entertained and Sol Gasol played the piano.

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Mrs. S. Ein, Vendome Avenue, is in New York visiting her daughter, Mrs. R. Switzman.

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Mrs. N. L. Green, of Winnipeg, is visiting Mrs. G. Fischel, Winchester Avenue.

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Mr. and Mrs. Solomon Fox, Henri Julien Avenue, entertained sixteen children Sunday afternoon, January 11 in honor of their son Nathan, who celebrated his eleventh birthday. Present were Nathan Fernley, Harris Fernley, Reubin Cammy, Reubin Cohrin, Ben Witcoff, Arthur Cohen, Louis Shatz, Arnold Waxman, Simon Cohrin, Elick Shubert, Lester Fox, Nathan Fox, Doris Cohen, Esther Fox, Bessie Fernley, Doris Cammy, Libby Cobrin, and Zelda Cohen. Each child was given a souvenir. Later in the evening supper was served to the immediate family, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Fernley, Mr. and Mrs. I. Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cohen, Mrs. Rose Fox, Mrs. J. Cammy and Miss Celia Boness. Reubin Cammy, Bessie Fernley and Esther Fox sang and danced. Mrs. J. B. Fernley assisted in serving.

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Mrs. Jack Schecter, Prudhomme Avenue, entertained at an informal evening and two tables of bridge in honor of her sister-in-law, Miss Beryl Schecter welcoming Misses Mitzi Yanaken, Ruth Goldman, Sybil Rashkover, Rachel Schecter, Celia Rabinovitch, Pauline and Mildred Trachtenberg, and Esther Schecter. Misses Mitzi Yanaken and Mildred Trachtenberg won prizes.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Schaffer, Drolet Street, entertained at dinner Sunday evening, January 4, welcoming Mr and Mrs. J. Shelner, Mr. and Mrs. I. Shelner, Mr. and Mrs. P. Schaffer Mr. and Mrs. N. Shapiro, Mr. and Mrs. A. Myer, Mr. and Mrs. J. Raphael, and Mr. and Mrs. M. Isenberg.

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A surprise birthday party was given Saturday, January 10 in honor of Bernard Tellsman by Harold Goodman, Clanney Street. Guests were Misses Minnie Solomon, Anne Bulun, Betty Benditsky, Billie Kahn Min Raplan, Sarah Cohen, Bee Balkin; and Harold Goodman, Jack Halperin, Dave Sherback, Robert Segal Norman Oliver, Moe Astroff, and Dave Hosset. Bernard Tellsman was presented with a gold watch on behalf of the guests. Mrs. S. Goodman and Miss Belle Goodman assisted in serving.

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Marriages

Shousterman-Greenberg

The marriage of Lily, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenberg, to Sam Shousterman, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Shousterman, was solemnized Sunday, January 4, at the Carmen Sylva. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a white satin and lace gown on princess style. Her veil of lace fell from a crown of orange blossoms and she carried a bouquet of Calla lilies and lily of the valley. Mrs. Ida Adeles, sister of the bride, was matron of honor wearing a red satin gown, turban and shoes to match; and carried yellow tea roses. Phillip Adeles, brother-in-law of the bride, was best man. Bridesmaids were Misses Ray Feldman, wearing blue moiré; Estelle Liverman, heliotrope satin; and Pearl Tellsman, in pink satin. They all also wore turbans and shoes to match their gowns and carried bouquets of pink tea roses. The ushers were Benny Greenberg and Harry Greenberg, brothers of the bride, and Harry Klpnis. The two flower girls were Ruthie Burstyne, wearing pink georgette, and Molly Segal, in orange satin, both with ribbons to match their frocks and baskets of rose petals. Jackie Marcovitch, was page boy. Mrs Greenberg, mother of the bride, wore a black lace gown, felt hat to match, and corsage of roses. Mrs. Shousterman, mother of the groom, wore black georgette, hat to match, and a corsage of roses. Dinner was served to 150 guests. From out-of-town were Mrs. Lottie Bulum, of New York, aunt of the bride, and Phillip Segal, of Ivry, Que., uncle of the bride.

Roback-Shackman

Mr. and Mrs. M. Roback, Esplanade avenue, announce the marriage of their son, Harry Nathan, to Betty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Shackman, of New York, which took place January 3 in New York. Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Roback have left to spend three years in Berlin, Germany, where Mr. Roback is studying medicine.

Kimmel-Winikoff

The marriage of Doris, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Winikoff, to Dave, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Kimmel, of New York, was solemnized Thursday, January 15, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue. Rabbi Katzman officiated and the choir sang. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a white crepe gown on Princess lines made with a long train and trimmed with rhinestones and seed pearls. Her veil was draped in cap effect with a frill and a wreath of orange blossoms at the back and clusters at either side and she carried a sheaf of Calla lilies and lily of the valley. Her only attendant was her sister, Miss Sema Winikoff, gowned in aquamarine colored crepe in Colonial style, hat and shoes to match and with Talisman roses. Barney Smith was best man. Mrs. Winikoff, mother of the bride, wore black lace, hat to match and a corsage of American Beauties. A reception was held for 200 guests among them Mr. and Mrs. S. Winikoff and Mr. and Mrs. L. Katz, of New York. Mr. and Mrs. Dave Kimmel will live at 4548 St. Urbain Street.

Gross-Herscovitch

The marriage took place in New York Sunday, January 11, of Miss Ray Herscovitch, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Herscovitch, St. Urbain Street, Montreal, to Abe Gross, of Montreal. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Abe Gross will live in Montreal.

Friedman-Smilovitz

The marriage of Jennie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Smilovitz, to Sam Friedman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Friedman, was solemnized Wednesday, January 7, at Beth David Synagogue with Rabbi Julius Berger officiating. The bride, who was given away by her father, wore a period gown of eggshell panne velvet lined with pale pink georgette. Her veil of net was scattered with sprays of orange blossoms, and fastened in cap style. She carried a bouquet of lilies. Miss Ida Smilovitz, sister of the bride, was maid of honor and wore powder blue taffeta lined in pale pink georgette, pale pink turban, and shoes to match, and carried pink roses. Isidore Myers was best man. The bridesmaids were Misses Doreen Pelt, in coral color velvet; and Ida Schachter, powder blue canton. Their shoes matched their gowns, they also wore silver net hats, and carried pink and red roses. The two junior bridesmaids, Eileen Hopmyer and Mildred Marcovitch, wore period dresses of peach georgette with hats and shoes to match and carried bouquets of pink carnations tied with blue ribbons. Julius Solomor was page boy and Eileen Marcovitch was flower girl, wearing a frock of pale pink georgette with French flowers. She carried a basket of rose petals. Mrs. Smilovitz, mother of the bride, was in a metallic chiffon gown, black ribbon hat and shoes to match and a corsage of yellow tea roses. Mrs. Friedman, mother of the groom, wore a black sequins gowns, with hat and shoes to match, and a corsage of yellow tea roses. A reception was attended by 300 guests. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. L. H. Raphael, of Kirkland Lake, Ont.; and J. Smilovitz, of New York.

Engagements

The engagement was announced January 11, of Rose, daughter of Mrs. L. Maron, City Hall Avenue, and the late B. Maron to Harry, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. Spector, St. Catherine Street West.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Kanik announce the engagement of their daughter Anne, to Louis Freedman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Freedman.

Approaching Marriages

The marriage of Tillie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. Silverman to H. Constantine, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Constantine, takes place Sunday, January 18, at Bnai Jacob Synagogue.

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MONTREAL HADASSAH HOSPITAL SHOWER

Annually Montreal Hadassah holds a Hospital Shower for the benefit of Hadassah Hospital work in Palestine. This year Canadian Hadassah was appealed to for funds with which to re-open Motza Convalescent Home.

MRS. ALLAN BRONFMAN

Mrs. Allan Bronfman has given her home for the Montreal Hadassah Palestine Hospital Shower Monday afternoon, January 19th., at 9 Belvedere Road. Montreal Council of Hadassah had previously arranged a special joint meeting at the Windsor Hotel, to close the membership drive, but this has now been cancelled in view of the emergency of the Hospital situation.

North End Chapter of Hadassah met at the home of Mrs. I. Benditsky, 65 Duquette St., Monday afternoon, January 12. Mrs. L. Matthews was chairman. Guests present were: Mrs. M. Cohen, speaker; Mrs. Wilder, of Winnipeg, Man.; Mrs. H. Fleischman, Montreal. Minutes were read by Mrs. N. Auerbach. Miss Sarah Segal was elected secretary-treasurer. Mrs. M. Cohen spoke about the money shower, which is to be held in aid of the hospital in Palestine, at the home of Mrs. Allan Bronfman, Monday afternoon, January 19th. Mrs. N. Auerbach extended thanks to Mrs. Cohen. National Fund Box collections, $6.11, collected by Mrs. A. Poyaner. Mrs. W. Pottel, donated a purse for the raffle, which was won by Mrs. M. Crelinstein. Mrs. Schachter won the tea raffle. Tea and raffle money, $10. Next meeting Monday afternoon, January 26th, at the home of Mrs. P. Segal.

ANNUAL BRIDGE HELD

The annual bridge and mah jong of the Jewish Laurentian Fresh Air Camp was held Wednesday, January 7th, at Victoria Hall in charge of the President, Mrs. S. Leopold; Mrs. Joseph Cohen, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee; Mesdames J. S. Kellert, L. Klineberg, L. Hersig, and S. Wittes. Hostesses were Mesdames M. Segal, L. Abbey, J. Roston, assisted by Mesdames B. Aaron, Joseph Cohen, A. Friedman, Levine, Rienstone, Misses Zella Bronfman and Freda Bessner. The Jewish Laurentian Fresh Air Camp acknowledges these donations: $10 from Mr. C. B. Fafner; $15, Sigma Delta Tau Sorority; $25, from the raffle of an end table donated by Mrs. Julius Miller, Cornwall, Ont., and won by Mrs. Held; $25, Mrs. H. Freed; $25, Mr. and Mrs. I. Kauffman, Elm avenue, through Rabbi Cohen, in their 25th anniversary. Board meeting and luncheon, Tuesday, January 20th at 1 p.m., at the Mount Royal Hotel. Reservations with Mrs. E. Solomon, Westmount 4315.

VARIETY GIRLS CLUB

The Variety Girls Club held their second annual party at the home of Miss Sarah Naran, a member. Souvenirs. The rooms and table were decorated with roses. Present were Misses Ida Cramer, Claire Winikoff, Pearl Cohen, Ray Novalker, Milly Lazarovitz, Frances Rothstein, Sarah Mozoff, Sarah Naran, Esther Kruger, Tilly Jacobson, and Sarah Vinegor.

LADIES BIKUR CHOILIM SOCIETY

Ladies Bikur Choilim Society met at Bnai Jacob Synagogue. Mrs. M. Lefcort presided and Mrs. P. Kooperstock read the minutes. Mrs. G. Frankel donated a set of salt and pepper shakers which were raffled and won by Mrs. A. Shalinsky, who donated $1. Total proceeds, $9. A board meeting was held at the home of Mrs. H. Goldstein, 242 Laurier Avenue West. Mrs. M. Lefcort presided. Mrs. P. Kooperstock read the minutes. Mrs. L. Champagne donated a bath room set to be raffled, which was won by Mrs. Aronovitch, who donated $1.50. Total proceeds $10. Banquet January 21 at Bnai Jacob Synagogue. Mrs. M. Lefcort presented the following with prizes for having sold the most tickets: Mesdames M. Beecher, M. Rosovitch, I. Goldman and B. Thaw. Refreshments were served by Mrs. H. Goldstein and Mrs. L. Champagne.

Y. M. H. A.

Additional subscribers to the Y.M.H.A. ball, January 18th, under the patronage of Sol Kellert and Miss Kellert, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles N. Sommer, are: Harry Bronfman, Larry Malinoff, Irving N. Diamond, Al Slutsky, Peter Wise, Saul Miller, Lou Markham, Eddie Gittleson, M. Bortz, Ephraim Miller, S. M. Rothman, Ben Herman, Myer Starke, Sam Starke, Max Finestone, Myer Silberberg, Myer Pins, Sam Gelfand, Morris Bruker, Sol Ekers, Dave Steinberg, Harold Barsha, Louis Jason, Sam Zackon, Joe Schwartz, Louis Shiff, Arthur Levin, Jack Becker, Dave Kruger, Sol Webber, H. Kandelshain, H. Small, N. Grabstein, Ben Segal, Mac Abrams, Sam Garfield, Joseph Silver, Henry Azeff, Percy Caplan, Joseph Richer, Arthur Blond, Herbert Dobrinsky, Jack Horn, Michael Greenblatt, Sam Richer, Louis Rubinstein, Bud Weiser, Jos. Hornstein, Sam Itel, Ben Saul, Norman Schlenger, Ben Spiegelman, Norman Holzberg, Sonny Park, Louis Bass, Jack Silver, Dave Miller, Jack Margolese, William Schwartz, Elliot Goldwater, Moe Aaronson, William Malus, Lou Morris, William Berbrier, Jos. Eliesen, Roy Goodman, Joseph Hershbain, H. Pascal, L. M. Fingard, Walter Friedman. Committee in charge: Dave Becker, Max Krasnow, Louis Liffshitz, Sam Rubin and Gerald Goldwater, chairman.

Bernard Bloomfield, Chairman of the Y.M.H.A. Dramatic Society, announced that George Kelly's "Show Off" will be produced under the direction of Rupert Caplan, February 9th., 10th., and 11th.

Lazarus Phillips will address the Friday Young Peoples Forum January 16th., on "The Origins of the World War," Friday, January 30th., Graham Spry, Executive Secretary of the National Association of Canadian Clubs, will speak. Mr. Spry is former Rhodes Scholar from the University of Manitoba, and is in charge of the entire program of the Canadian Clubs. His subject is: "Mosaic or Melting Pot."

Miss Sylvia Leibovitz, Librarian, and Irving Robinson, publicity officer for the library, are present every night to give guidance in the use of the library.

Players Club presents a group of one-act plays in the "Y" Auditorium Thursday, January 29th. Ben Herman, Director of Boys Work, is in charge of business management. 62nd. Y.M.H.A. Boy Scouts meets every Tuesday at the Bancroft School, at 7:30 p.m., David Schachter is Scout Master.

First annual snow modelling contest open to boys 7-14 years of age takes place on Fletcher's Field opposite the Y.M.H.A. Sunday, January 18th., at 2:30 p.m. Prizes to the three best. Ben Herman, Boys' Work Director, in charge: Judges, Martin Regenstreif, of the Canadian Associated Artists, Alderman Max Seigler, and Louis Capelovitch, of the Y.M.H.A. New Era Fellowship. Public invited.

SOCIETY MEETS WEDNESDAY

Daughters of Israel Charitable Society met Tuesday, January 6. Mrs. H. Levites, 4585 Mance Street, was the hostess. Mrs. S. Cooperstone presided. Next meeting at the home of Mrs. J. Levitt, 6110 Hutchison Street, Wednesday, January 21 at 2.30 p.m.

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The B. & S. Steinhouse and Nachlas Zkelnim Home for the Aged on 4373 Esplanade Avenue, announce as their annual theatre night, Wednesday, February 25. Organizations are asked to refrain from planning affairs. The Home promises to return the favor!

BAL CABARET FEBRUARY 7

The annual Bal Cabaret of the Jewish Junior Welfare League will be held Saturday evening, February 7, at the Mount Royal Hotel. The list of patrons will be announced shortly in the Review. Convenors are Mrs. B. Albert, Mrs. S. Bronfman, Misses Huldah Alexandor, Gladys Samit, Reba Sloves and Ray Friedman treasurer. Committee: Mesdames P. Levy, B. Marks, G. G. Gray, and Misses Jennie Erdrich, Dorothy Blumenthal, Zella Bronfman, Eileen Fineberg, Beatrice Glickman, Florence Jacobs, Jean Rabinovitch, Anna Tritt, Gertrude Wener, and Irene Wiseman. Tickets from Mrs. B. Albert or any member of the committee.

PAUL DE MARKY
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A SKETCH OF PAUL DE MARKY'S CAREER

Conspicuous among the younger pianists from Europe is Paul de Marky. Since his debut in Budapest in 1923 his career has been a continuous succession of successes. At the age of four de Marky began his musical studies. At fifteen he was a skilled virtuoso, and at that time he became an artist-pupil of the famous teacher, Stephen Thoman, who was a great friend and pupil of Liszt. While studying the piano with Prof. Thoman, de Marky also attended the University of Law from which he was graduated. But the call of music was stronger, so he gave up law. At the time of this artist's debut in Budapest, Prof. Thoman remarked that, "Paul de Marky is one of the best pianists of the younger generation. He has a profound poetic sense and an admirable technic. In his reading of Chopin I may compare him with the greatest." The Budapest Chronicle described his recital as "A Biltmore Musicale." In fact Paul de Marky is a pianist much of the same type as was his fellow countryman Dohnanyi. Twenty five years and Paul de Marky will be heard at a recital February 25th at the Windsor Hall, Windsor Hotel.

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Services Friday January 16th., at 8:15. Sermon: "Nathan Strauss—A tribute." Saturday service at 11, Sermonette on Torah portion.

At a recent meeting of the Board of Trustees of Temple Emanu-El Morris Ginsberg and Edward Simon were elected unanimously to head the Committee on the planning and construction of a new Temple House and School Building which will soon be erected on the plot adjoining the Temple proper. Committee: A. Sommer, Arthur Simon, Charles A. Goldstein, Morris Ginsberg, Edward Simon, Max Jacobs, Martin Arnovitz, John Issenman, Mortimer Silverstein, Irving Tarshis, Abe Mailman, Sydney Isaacs, I. J. Finkelstein, C. N. Sommer, H. Grover, Leo Fingard, Maxwell Goldstein, K.C., Nathan Gordon, K.C. and Rabbi Stern, honorary members.

College of Jewish Studies: Monday January 19th., at 8:15, Nathan Gordon, K.C., in the Department of History, will deal with "Early Jewish Communities of the Eighteenth Century;" 9:15 to 10:15 Rabbi Julius Berger, "Modern Jewish Philosophy;" Rabbi Stern, "Hoseah."

Sunday morning Junior Assembly will be devoted to Jewish hymns, under the direction of Misses Evelyn Benjamin and Beatrice Rubinovitch. Jacob Wasserman, Educational Director, and Rabbi Stern will be hosts to the High School Department January 17th., at a Sabbath tea, in the Temple House at 3 p.m. Confirmation Class have been assigned these subjects to be written within the next month: "What God Means to Me," Isabel Blumenthal; "The Bible—Its History and Its Meaning To-day," Eunice Carin; "Jewish Post-Biblical Literature," Arnold Issenman; "The Jewish Woman," Catherine Regal; "The Great Teachings of Our Religion," Dorothy Silverman; "The History of Reform Judaism," Lloyd Stern; "The History of Temple Emanu-El," Sylvia Sand; "The Problem of Jew and non-Jew," Ruby Simpson; "Great Jewish Prophets," Rose Singerman. Next Bible Club meets with Jacob Rosenfeld, at the home of Maxime Samuels, Apt. 417, 1455 Drummond St. Last Sunday in the High School Assembly Edmund Gordon read a paper on "The Influence of the Romans upon the Jews." In the evening the Sisterhood and Brotherhood tendered a supper to the Faculty of the School in honor of Dr. Gamoran's visit. Dr. Lyon Bercovitch spoke on behalf of the Temple Board. Miss Anna Frank, tendered a vote of thanks to Dr. Gamoran. Arthur S. Jacobs, Superintendent, and Jack Wasserman, Educational Director, presided. Lloyd Stern and Arnold Issenman assisted with the reading of the Torah last Sabbath Morning.

The Sisterhood's Social Service Committee, headed by Mrs. S. Medine and Mrs. E. Regal are making regular Thursday afternoon visits to the Jewish patients in General Hospital and Hospital for Incurables at Cartierville. First annual bridge Wednesday, January 21st., at 3 p.m. in the Lecture Hall. Mrs. S. Medine and Mrs. E. P. Van Geun are in charge.

Temple Centre's programme meetings will be "An Evening with Great Composers" Wednesday, January 21st., at 8:30 p.m.

Birthdays: Nina May Finkelstein, Stephen Ginsberg, Franklin Howard Levee, Mrs. A. Schwartz, Julia Mann Asch, Esther Rosnick.

Wedding Anniversaries: Mr. and Mrs. Felix Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Nelson, Mr. and Mrs. Chester L. Solomont, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Gordon.

Kaddish was read in memory of Bertha Tobinsky, Minnie Silverman Jacobs, and Adolphe Goldstein at last Sabbath's service.

Shaare Zion Congregation, Claremont Avenue, below Sherbrooke Street. Rabbi Julius Berger.

Service Sabbath eve. at 4:30 Religious Assembly at 8:30. Lecture: Ben Goldenberg, "A Layman's View of Judaism." Sabbath service at 9. Sermon: Based on Torah portion. Mincha at 4:25 Maariv at 5.

The Men's Club has arranged a musical program for Wednesday, January 21, at 8:15 p.m. in the synagogue. Chorus of 50 voices. Eigl teen-piece orchestra. Friends welcome.

Condolence is offered by the Board of Executive over the death of Mrs. Gertrude Riddell wife of Irving Riddell and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. I. Williams.

Shaar Hashomayim, Rabbi Herman Abramowitz, Cote St. Antoine Road, Corner Kensington.

Friday services at 4.30. Sabbath services at 9 a.m. Mincha at 4.30. Maariv at 4.30. Maariv at 4.15. Friday services at 4.45. The New Moon of Shebat takes place Monday of this coming week. Sermon: "Nathan Strauss — His Life's Philosophy."

Edward Bernard Vineberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Vineberg, will this Saturday morning be called to the reading of the Law, in celebration of his bar-mitzvah.

At the Junior Congregation Services last Sabbath morning the honour of opening the Ark was given to David Morris, and the following were called to the reading of the Law: Bernard Besner, Solly Ein, M. B. Steine, Moe Steinberg, Noel Glickman, Robert Goldman, Marvyn Goldfine, and I. M. Konowitz. The honours of Hagbah and Gelilah were given to Arthur Bloomfield and David Abramowitz, respectively.

Monday, January 19th, at 8.15 p.m. Harry Baishaw will lecture on "Israel Zangwill." Abraham M. Klein will speak on "The Song of Songs," the fourth lecture of the series on Jewish Poetry.

BNAI JACOB

Miss Rosalee Gottheil, secretary of the Bnai Jacob Young Peoples' Society, introduced Jack Quigg, master of ceremonies, for the musical revue Wednesday, January 7th in the synagogue's assembly hall. 400 persons attended. Program by: Miss Tillie Adelman, winner in a recent contest for the best impersonation of Lillian Roth; Miss Rena Gordon, singer, accompanied by Miss Helen Jacobs; Sidney Chester, guitar player; Miss Judy Lozinski, violinist, accompanied by Miss Mabel Corn; and Miss Sylvia Slabotsky, first prize-winner in a recent contest for the best impersonation of Miss Helen Kane, assisted by Ralph Vineberg. Jack Quibb, played the ukelele and harmonica.

BETH DAVID

Sisterhood bridge and tea, Tuesday, January 20, at the home of Mrs. S. Steinberg, 4604 Hutchison Street. Mrs. A. Miller and Mrs. H. Aranovitch were hostesess at the meeting January 5. The raffle donated by Mrs. M. Wexler was won by Mrs. Druckman.

Junior Beth David Assembly meets Wednesday, January 28, at 8.30 p.m. at the Synagogue Hall, Nelson Avenue and St. Joseph Boulevard. Guest speaker, Honorable Judge Amedee Monet. Dancing. Friends welcome.

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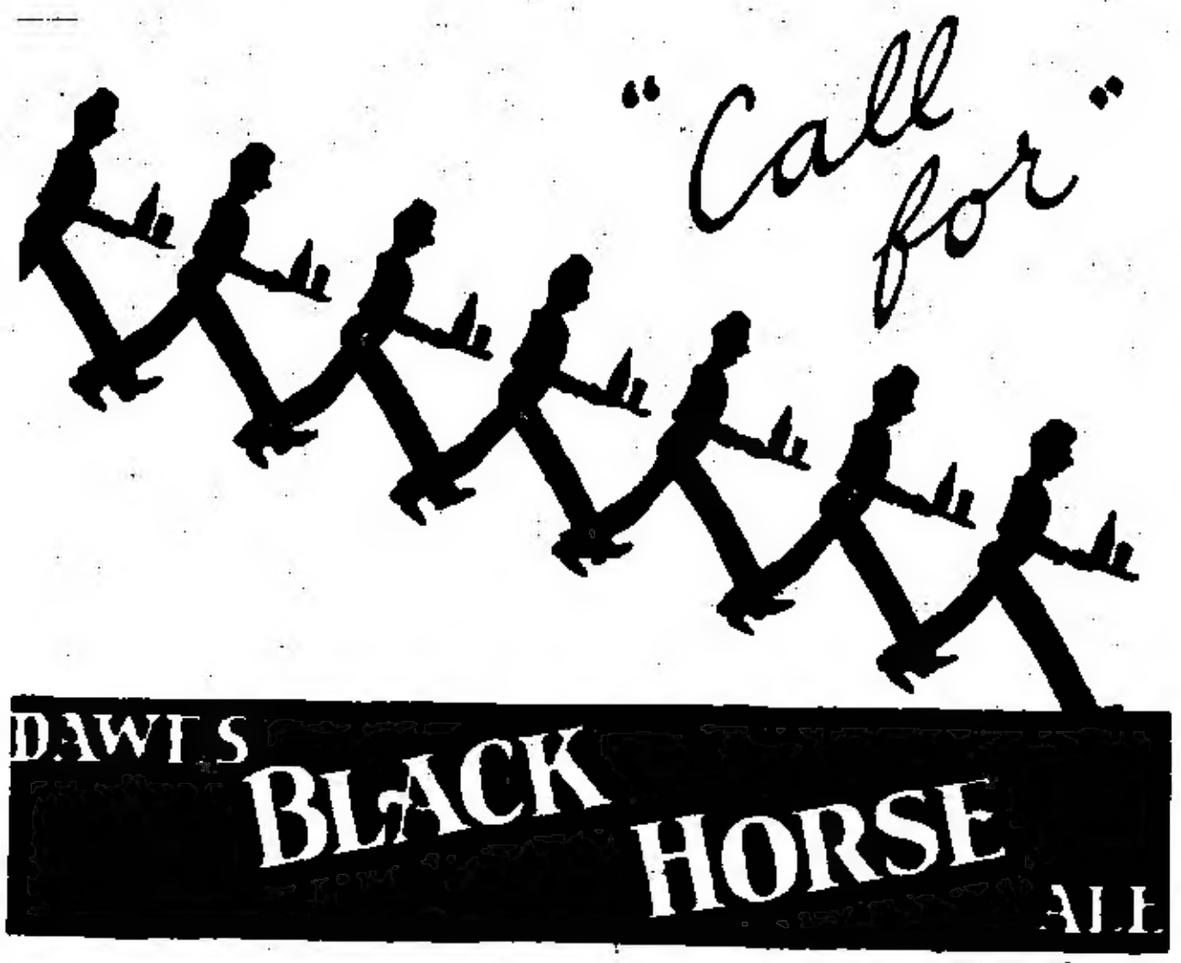

MONTREAL YOUNG JUDAEA

Under the leadership of Miss Goldie Yelin, Daughters of Judaea, heard a debate "Resolved, that our prayers be in English rather than in Hebrew." Misses Annette Kahn and Pearl Garmaise, affirmative; and Misses, Anita Cohen and Judith Seidel, negative. An essay was given by Miss Rita Shane, on "The Hebrew University."

Knights of Sharon under the leadership of David Halperin, heard R. Zasloff on "Was the Dispersion Beneficial to the Jewish Race?" H. Spoon gave a talk, "Palestinian Industries." "News Items" by N. Stein.

At a meeting of the Leader's Council B. Caplan presided. A paper on "Ludwig Lewisohn" was read by S. H. Abrahamson.

In Leader's Training Course Mrs. Aron Klein dealt with Child Psychology and A. M. Klein discussed "Nineteenth Century Jewish History."

Executive Meeting of Montreal Young Judaea Monday evening, January 19.

First senior Inter-club debate Sunday afternoon, January 18, when Students of Safed and Knights of Balfour debate the affirmative and negative respectively, of "Resolved, that Anti-semitism will decrease with the establishment of a Jewish National Homeland in Palestine."

Leaders' Council on Monday evening, January 12, passed a resolution of regret at the death of Nathan Strauss.

FIFTH ANNUAL BALL

The Ladies' Auxiliary of the Jewish Peretz Schools will hold its fifth annual ball Sunday evening, January 18, at the Venetian Gardens, 1244 St. Catherine Street West. Convenors, Mesdames W. Wolkove, J. Pascal, R. Abel, K. Abel, I. Marcus and B. Caplan. Information from Lancaster 2561.

AUXILIARY BRIDGE IN FEBRUARY

A bridge and mah jongg will be held by United Talmud Torah Ladies Auxiliary at Victoria Hall, Sherbrooke Street West, Westmount, Tuesday, February 24, at 2.30 p.m. Mrs. Joseph Cohen, convenor, will be assisted by Mesdames Allan Bronfman, Lyon Cohen, Harry Bronfman, Horace Cohen, B. Aaron, Samuel Hart, Samuel Wener, C. B. Fainer, Lyon Jacobs, A. O. Raginsky, D. Cummings, A. S. Radovsky, B. Levitt, V. Aaron, and M. Shuchat. Refreshments will be in charge of Mrs. M. Segal. To form tables, 'phone Mrs. Cohen, Walnut 3938, or write to 3769 Marlowe Avenue. The Auxiliary meets Wednesday, January 28, at 2.30 p.m. at the Mount Royal Hotel.

CELECTO GIRLS

Celecto Girls' party at the home of Miss Carrie Rosenberg, 4335 Harvard Avenue, was attended by Misses Carrie Rosenberg, Fay Stern, Gertrude Platt, Fannie Levine, Lillian Gillman, Rebecca Waxman, Maisie Stromberg, Edythe Spiegel, Lily Stromberg; and Usher Dobrofsky, Joe Lutterman, Sidney Roseman, Al Campbell, Hy Cohn, Arthur Cohen, Abe Spiegel, Paul Sherzer, Irving Bloodstone, and Lou Bass.

VARSITY GIRLS

Miss Lena Lake entertained at bridge January 8 for the Varsity Girls, Mrs. F. Berman and Misses Pearl Telisman, Evelyn Sturman, Lily Pap, Fanny Lubin, Annie Smith, Bessie Kashansky, Lena Lake, Lily Torbin, Sophie Chait, Shirley Lake and Fanny Zussman. Prizes were won by Misses Sophie Chait, Fanny Lubin and Lily Torbin.

Y. M. H. A. Holds Memorial Service for Late President

Eulogies of the late Ald. Louis Rubenstein were spoken by Joseph Cohen, K.C., M.L.A., Ald. W. S. Weldon, Sol Kellert, honorary president of the Y.M.H.A., Moe Levitt, acting president, and Harvey Golden, executive director, at the memorial service held Sunday, January 11, in the auditorium of the Young Men's Hebrew Association in honor of the late president.

Ald. Louis Rubenstein was the important connecting link between the Jewish and non-Jewish community in this city, bringing benefits and prestige through his presence and activity. Mr. Cohen, chairman of the board of trustees, said in his keen analysis of the late communal worker's life. "He prided himself on his old traditional Jewish faith and throughout his life served as a model of Jewish ideology by playing the game in a sportsmanship and honorable manner. "In his death," he said, "we have lost that understanding force between the ancient and the modern, the welding force between Jew and non-Jew."

Introducing a very personal element into the proceedings, Ald. Weldon gave a graphic and emotional account of his friendship with Mr. Rubenstein over a period of 30 years. "Straight as a die, a thorough amateur sportsman and gentleman, no greater tribute could have been given to him than that accorded at his funeral.

An appreciation of the importance of procuring the benefits of an athletic training for Jewish youth, impelled Ald. Rubenstein to lead these boys to higher and nobler aspirations. Sol. Kellert declared in his review of the building work carried on by the late president on behalf of the Y. M. H. A., of which he was the head for 15 years.

The high esteem in which Ald. Rubenstein was held by the community at large is a just reward for his life of honor and service. Moe Levitt said in a few preliminary remarks. "He was most intimately connected with the Y.M.H.A. and it is but fitting that this organization should pay special homage and express a sincere gratitude and deep affection for one who was its leading light and guiding genius."

Permeating the lives of the thousands of "Y" men who knew him affectionately as "the Alderman," Ald. Rubenstein preached the gospel of "play the game" by word and deed. Harvey Golden, executive director of the Y.M.H.A. and it is but fitting "Prince of sportsman, living a life of complete and unadorned simplicity, he gave of his prestige at the height of his glory and rose to the high level of communal appreciation," he added.

S. L. Mendelsohn read a resolution of sympathy on behalf of the board of directors. Cantor Segal and Rabbi Charles Bender looked after the ceremonial proceedings. Ald. Max Seigler was present. Moe Levitt presided.

ROVERETTES

Roverettes' debate, "Resolved that environment influences the character more fully than hereditary" was won by the negative, Misses Fanny Nemiroff and Miriam Levine. A social evening took place at the home of Miss Jean Kamin Wednesday, January 14, and a basketball game at the Fairmount School, Thursday, January 15.

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Montreal Junior Hadassah

Miss Roslyn Adelstein, of Alizot Chapter, and Miss Florrie Kann, of the University Chapter, were awarded first and second places in the oratorical contest sponsored by the Rose of Sharon Chapter at the first amalgamated meeting of the Montreal Chapters of Junior Hadassah, at Zionist headquarters, Sherbrooke Street West, Wednesday evening, January 7.

There were seven contestants, and each was given five minutes in which to speak. Miss Adelstein, dealing with "Problems besetting Zionist," felt that the young Jewish boy and girl was torn between the nationalism of the country of residence and that of their spiritual home, in Palestine. The criticism usually levelled at Zionism was that it made for one more nation, when the present trend was toward universal brotherhood and away from barriers of differences in language and customs, she said, the reply of the Zionist being that that their object was not to found another nation, but to establish a headquarters, a central source of Jewish thought, culture and education for a people who had been a homeless nation for many centuries.

Speaking on "Anti-Semitism and Assimilation in America," Miss Kahn instanced the fact that, in many places, members of the Jewish race in the community were obliged to send their children to the schools attended by the sons and daughters of their non-Jewish neighbors, but were denied representation on the school boards. She felt that long years of oppression had so affected the Jewish people temperamentally and spiritually, that they remained intrinsically Hebrew, no matter what efforts they might make toward assimilation into the country of their adoption.

Miss Nessie Segal, of Deborah Chapter, outlined the part being played in Zionism by the Hebrew University, situated just outside Jerusalem. Miss Ann Schwisoerg, of Alizot Chapter, deplored the present lack of strong leadership, in "If Herzl Were Alive." She felt that recent blows dealt to the hopes of Zionism would have been avoided if the great idealism and foresight of Herzl had been available. Miss Ann Gross, of Tel-Aviv chapter, told something of what Hadassah had to offer to the young Jewess of today, and Miss Annie Frank, of the University Chapter, told of the many contributions Canadian Jewry is making to the rebuilding of Palestine, not only in material things, such as money, land and service, but in love, loyalty and devotion to Israel and her welfare. Miss Esther Kositsky, of Tel-Aviv Chapter outlined the story of "The Island Within." Miss Frances Levikoff read "If Not Higher," by Peretz. Palestian songs. Dr. Anne Tarshis Batshaw president of Junior Hadassah, gave the opening address. Mrs. M. Berinbaum was chairman. Judges were Mrs. H. Singer, Mrs. S. M. Rothman and Miss S. Solomon. Miss Bessie Schecter presented the prizes.

Sherbrooke, Que.

Among those who attended the Military Ball were Colonel Sam Echenberg, Abe Echenberg, Mr. and Mrs. David Echenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Schwartz, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel W. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Rosenbloom, Misses Bessie Weinstein, Helene Cohen, Sophie Gilman, Miss Lax, of Quebec; Miss Bessie Shmokler, of Thetford Mines; Max Echenberg, Sydney Echenberg, Manuel Smith, Morris Echenberg and Leon Echenberg.

Bar-Mitzvahs

The bar mitzvah of Edward Vineberg, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Vineberg, Mt. Stephen Avenue, will take place Saturday, January 17, at Shaar Hashomayim Synagogue.

Deaths

Mrs. Ethel Hahamovitch, wife of Louis Hahamovitch, died January 7, at her home, 4660 Clarke Street. Funeral Thursday, January 8, to Kehal Yeshurim Cemetery. She is survived by her husband, two sons, Abe and Moe; one daughter, Sylvia; four brothers, M. Cohen, I. Cohen, A. D. Cohen and H. Cohen; two sisters Mesdames M. Leitman, and M. L. Raphael. She was a member of the Old People's Home, Ladies Bikur Cholim Society, Montefiore Hebrew Orphans' Home, New Beth Jehuda Sisterhood.

Samuel Asner, age 69, died Tuesday, January 6. Funeral took place January 7 from his home, 4326 Sherbrooke Street West, to Chevra Kadisha Cemetery. He is survived by three sons, J. D., Isser and Joe; and by three daughters, Leah, Esther and Mrs. B. Wigdor; and one sister, Mrs. K. Winer. Mr. Asner was one of the founders of the Montreal Hebrew Or- at the end of this month, will be for- Home and the Old Peoples' Home.

FUR WORKERS TO ASK HIGHER WAGE SCALE

Proposals which Montreal locals of the International Fur Workers' Union will submit to the employers upon the expiration of the existing agreement at the end of this month, will be formulated at a meeting of fur workers January 16 in the Union Du Commerce hall, 1079 Berri street. Among the speakers will be Albert Roy, Canadian organizer of the international union, and M. Kaufman, president.

On behalf of the union it is stated that during the last two years the wages of the majority of fur workers of Montreal have been substantially reduced and it is felt that the union should ask that the standards established prior to the reductions should be re-established. It is also felt that the new agreement should carry with it a provision regarding the distribution of work and an arrangement that in times of emergency when many fur workers are unemployed the trade should operate on a basis of less than eight hours a day in order to give employment to a larger number.

Mesdames Samuel W. Smith, and Joseph Schwartz were joint hostesses at a tea and bridge at the Community Center Sunday evening last.

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Mrs. Harry Levinson and children, of Westmount, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. Echenberg, Prospect St., for a few weeks.

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Louis H. Bernstein spent a few days in Montreal.

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Miss Pansy Schwartz, Montcalm St., is spending a few weeks in Montreal the guest of her aunt, Mrs. Herman Shupiro.

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Mrs. Louis Edgar, Beckett Rd., entertained at a birthday party in honour of her daughter, Eydthe.

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H. Rosenfeld sold to D. Brookman lot No. 489-298, Ahuntsic ward, measuring 25 by 86 feet, without buildings and fronting on St. Hubert street, for $2,375.

H. Rosenfeld sold to M. Avrasin lot No. 489-299, Ahuntsic ward, measuring 25 by 96.9 feet, with buildings, and fronting on St. Hubert street, for $2,375.

B. W. Segal sold to H. Richman part of lot No. 14-48, St. Lawrence ward, measuring 46 by 60 feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 3826 to 3832, fronting on St. Lawrence boulevard, for $22,100.

H. Rosenfeld sold to B. A. Schwartz lot No. 489-300, Ahuntsic ward, measuring 25 by 86 feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 7587, 7589, fronting on St. Hubert street, for $5,250.

H. Lazarovitch sold to E. S. Belodubrowsky northwest part of lot No. 35-322, City of Outremont, measuring 20 by 90 feet, with buildings bearing the civic Nos. 728 to 730a, fronting on Champagneur avenue, for $10,500.

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ON TWO MONTHS' CRUISE

Charles C. Hershon, who is leaving on his vacation for two months on a Mediterranean Cruise, is to be tendered a bon voyage dinner Tuesday, January 20th., at the Prince of Wales Salon, Windsor Hotel. Among these present will be Peter Bercovitch, K.C., M.L.A., Joseph Cohen, K.C., M.L.A., Dr. L. P. Hebert, Ald. M. Seigler, Dr. M. J. Raff, I. Popliger, D. L. Young, and C. E. Young, Provincial and Assistant Provincial Managers of the Canada Life Assurance Company.

Ten cabaret and vaudeville acts will attend through the courtesy of the night clubs and theatres. Charles C. Hershon sails from New York on January 24th., and will visit France, Italy, Spain, Egypt, and Palestine.

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Men's Organizations

JEWISH IMMIGRANT AID CAMPAIGN TO OPEN SUNDAY

The campaign of the Jewish Immigrant Aid Society for $25,000 which takes place January 18th-25th, has S. W. Jacobs, K.C. M.P., and Sam Bronfman as Joint Chairmen. Committee: Louis Solomon, Clarence Michaels, Ben Robinson, L. B. Daniels, H. Barsky, Jacob Albert, H. M. Caiserman, L. K. Caplin, Leon D. Crestohl, M. Dickstein, S. S. Fels, M. Scherer, Ald. Joseph Schubert, J. Schafran, W. Tarlow, S. Temkin, D. Weissman, A. Wolofsky, and L. Zucker. Committee from fraternal organizations. H. Smith and P. Golditch, King Edward Sick Benefit Society; Max Bernstein and B. Karashinsky, King George Sick Benefit; M. Fox, Russian-Polish Sick Benefit; Saul Lerner, Canadian Hebrew Sick Benefit; I. Forman, Hebrew Protective; S. Schlesinger, Bessarabian Hebrew Sick Benefit; Israel Dacks, Hebrew Sick Benefit; M. Ungar, Austrian-Hungarian Hebrew Sick Benefit; I. Mendelsohn, Workmen's Circle, Branch #204; Herman Reich, Workmen's Circle, Branch #151; B. Dickman, North End Wilkomirer Hebrew Sick Benefit; I. Moore, Russian Social and Cultural Club; L. Rozofsky, National Workers Alliance, Branch #8; M. Gleiberman, National Workers Alliance, Branch #270; Mrs. I. Rabinovitch, Women Pioneer Organization; B. Dalin, National Workers Alliance, Branch #290; M. Mendel, Independent Hebrew Sick Benefit. A special meeting of the Campaign Committee and past-presidents and past-officers took place at the Mount Royal Hotel Sunday morning. The Campaign will be opened by a mass meeting in Auditorium Hall of the Young Men's Hebrew Association, Mt. Royal and Jeanne Mance Sts., Sunday, January 18th, at 2.30 p.m. Speakers: S. W. Jacobs, K.C., M.P., Samuel Bronfman, Rabbi H. J. Stern, B. Robinson, H. M. Caiserman, H. Barsky, Leon D. Crestohl, Ald. J. Schubert, and A. J. Paull, who also addressed a smoker Thursday at the Montefiore Hebrew Orphans' Home. S. Factor, Member of the Federal House of Commons from Toronto, and David A. Croll, Mayor of Windsor, will be guest speakers. Madame Olga Lieber, concert pianist, played at the Smoker.

Samuel Factor, of the Federal House of Commons from Toronto; David A. Croll, Mayor of Windsor; and A. Horovitz, Mayor of Cornwall will be guests of honour when S. W. Jacobs and Samuel Bronfman will be hosts at a luncheon Sunday, January 18th., at 12.30 p.m. at the Montefiore Club.

A FISH STORY

The teacher in natural science was quizzing her youthful pupils and finally asked them a question that stumped them.

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"Try speaking yourself with your head under water," answered Levy.

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TEMPLE BROTHERHOOD FELLOWSHIP MEETING

Fourth Annual Fellowship dinner-meeting of the Brotherhood takes place Wednesday, January 28th., at 7 p.m. in the Lecture Hall. Speakers: Nathan Gordon, K.C., President of Temple Emanu-El; Canon Alan P. Shatford, and Senator C. P. Beaubien. Group singing will be led by Edgar Murphy (Kiwanis Club). Special entertainment under the chairmanship of Arthur Schalek. Among those invited are: Professor W. A. Gifford, of the United Theological College, Rabbi Julius Berger, of Shaare Zion Congregation, Owen Callary, President of Kiwanis Club, George S. Mooney, Secretary, Southwestern Branch of Y.M.C.A., Senator McDougald, Rev. T. W. Jones, of the Calvary Church, Dr. A. Bercovitch, Donald Boulanger, President of St. Lawrence Kiwanis; L. R. Howard, President of Rotary Club; St. Clare Holland, President of Lyons Club; W. W. Williamson, Grand Secretary, Masonic Temple; J. E. Kindestin, President of Bnai Brith; Mr. Carmody, Supreme Knight, Knights of Columbus. Members of the Brotherhood will bring as their guests non-Jewish friends. The meeting will be presided over by Rabbi Harry J. Stern and Arthur Simon, President of the Brotherhood.

BNAI BRITH INSTALLATION

New officers of Mount Royal Lodge, Bnai Brith, were installed Thursday evening at the Mount Royal Hotel by Joseph A. Sweet, of Hamilton, assisted by Past President Horace R. Cohen, of Montreal. President is J. E. Kindestin; Vice-President, Rabbi Charles Bender; Secretary, Peter J. Usher; Treasurer, L. Blackman; Monitor, Philip Meyerovitch; Trustees, J. B. Becker, Harry Bronfman, and H. H. Livinson; Assistant Monitor, Dr. M. H. Toker; Warden, C. H. Goldstein; Guardian, J. R. Bogante.

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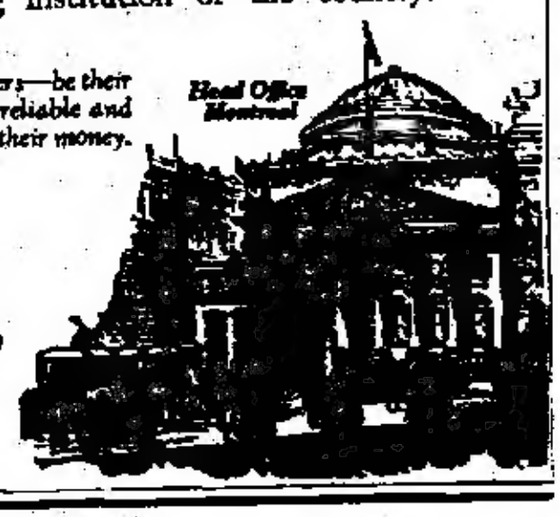

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INVESTMENT TRUSTS

By George H. Jaray

The management trust and the fixed trust, both entirely different from each other, are included in the above principle. The former organization originated in Europe and its theory is that an investor should profit more by replacing his own through more professional and skilled management to minimize risks with diversification of funds amongst industries and countries.

George H. Jaray has studied at Vienna and specialised in Economics at London University. His uncle and guardian is one of the leading financiers and textile magnates in Central Europe, Baron Felix Pollack-Parnegg. For the last 2 years an officer of the Bank of Montreal, Mr. Jaray has the distinction of being the only Jewish member. He has travelled a great deal and as an expert on financial matters will contribute to the Review. Mr. Jaray will answer any questions of special interest to readers.

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This needs careful consideration and it seems that the fixed trusts were able to choose a selection of stocks which were more stable than the stock market as a whole. This is not unusual but they were not expected to show more stability than the management trust with full power to change or substitute their portfolio at the discretion of experienced and skilled business men. The above figures were taken over a very short period when the management trusts encountered exceptional difficulties and should not be taken to prove any superiority. Each trust has to render specific performances and services and there is a place for each of them in the investment field.

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I might have had an anchor."

In a thought-provoking article on "The Realities of Zionism" in the last issue of the *Menorah Journal*, Herbert Solow says: "It is high time for the formulation of a new program for the solution of the Jewish problem in opposition to the hopeless program of the Reform Jews, Philanthropists, and Left, Right and Center Zionists." Mr. Solow's article is recommended to all those who have a real interest in increasing their understanding of the realities of Zionism. It covers thirty pages and is too long to condense here. However, an attempt will be made to give a portion of what it contains.

Mr. Solow says: "There can be no doubt that the White Paper shows an intent to destroy the basis of the Jewish National Home. Bernard Joseph proves this beyond question. He exposes as sheer hypocrisy the MacDonald Government's professed desire to protect the Arab peasant. Great Britain has attacked the Jewish National Home because she is not in Palestine for the health of the Jews or the fellah but for her own imperial ends, to develop commercial interests and protect the road to India. England has decided to crush the National Home; her new allies, both for the defense of the Suez Canal and the fighting of Zionism, are the Effendis of Palestine, the Arab feudal landlords . . . Whether attacks on the Jewish National Home come in the form of a Churchill or a Passfield White Paper or in the form of an Arab riot, they are the tactics of the Anglo-Effendi Alliance for the perpetuation of a feudal Palestine under the suzerainty of the British Empire. The Arab fellah sitting in Acre jail for having participated in the attack on the Jewish colony, the Jewish chalutz buried in the unhappy Homeland are the victims of this alliance. These are the basic realities of the Palestinian situation."

From the first, says the writer, there were two schools of Zionist thought. One continues in the "cultural Zionism" of to-day. It looks to the reconstruction of a Jewish life in Palestine, the end product of which is to be a flowering of the Jewish spirit with spiritual benefit to Jewry throughout the Diaspora. This was the philosophy underlying the program of the "Practical Zionists" in the Zionist Organization of which Chaim Weizmann was a leader. It advocated colonization activities by idealistic settlers. the furthering of spoken Hebrew and a Hebrew school system. The second school of Zionist thought continues in "political Zionism" with the Herzlian *Judenstaat* as its goal. Before the World War cultural Zionism dominated the Movement. The War made the culturals into politicals. The movement gave such services as the Zion Mule Corps, the Jewish Legion, quasi-espionage services, moral support to the Allied cause. and Dr. Weizmann's personal contribution of the TNT formula. In return the movement obtained the Balfour Declaration in which "His Majesty's Government view with favor the establishment in Palestine of a national home for the Jewish people—and will use their best endeavour to facilitate the achievement of this object."

But even the Arabs were promised their independent state and the Allies "found it impossible" to hand over Palestine to the Zionists. So a Mandate was issued to Great Britain. The Zionists merged a "cultural center" and the "Jewish State" in the vague phrase "Jewish National Home" which compromise was described by the chemist Weizmann as "synthetic Zionism." Thus was created the core, the Center party, containing Zionists who had no notions at all what they were about and also politicals and culturals. Weizmann, once an anti-political, told the Peace Conference that Palestine was to be as Jewish as England is English. But the Churchill White Paper, after the Arab riots of 1920 and 1921, denied such a possibility, said the Arabs would not disappear and that the Zionist Executive was to have no share in governing Palestine, that immigration was to be limited by "economic capacity." "The Zionists reluctantly accepted half a loaf. The Shaw Commission Reports, the Simpson Report, the Passfield White Paper are further bites into this loaf which is now at the point of disappearing altogether."

The reply of Zionist leadership to attacks and rebuffs has been to point out what Zionism has done for the Arab masses and to call upon the civilized world and the League of Nations to compel Great Britain to guard Zionist interests. Mr. Solow says it is silly to assume that the League is impartial, absolutely just and endowed with powers of control and compulsion. "It is an ordinary political institution administered by politicians . . . . The League and its Mandate constitute a feeble court of appeal against England and a sandy foundation for the National Home. . . . Center policy based purely on references to the law of the situation and appeals to the spirit of humanity has proved utterly helpless to defend the Jewish National Home against attack." Mr. Solow says continuation of this policy leads to the death of Zionism and the substitution for both the concepts of a political state and a cultural state of the Baron de Rothschild concept of charity. World Jewry, seeing Zionist leaders unable to handle the realities of Palestinian problems are giving decreasing support. As long as millionaires are interested in Palestine they will give money but it will be for philanthropic work and not for the upbuilding of a Jewish National Home. Mr. Solow criticizes Weizmann for going back and forth from the Jewish State theory to the cultural center theory. A year ago Magnes was a "traitor" because he asked for abandonment of the Jewish State idea. But last August Weizmann himself said Palestine was to be bi-national and that it was impossible to discuss a Jewish State.

Mr. Solow labels the Center party policy one of legalism or legalism modified by opportunism. The Right wing program calls for an Anglo-Jewish imperial alliance. The Left wing program calls for an Arab-Jewish alliance.

He says: "The first might lead to insignificant philanthropy—rather than the upbuilding of a Jewish National Home; the second to the creation of a buffer State, shot through with English influence and doomed to fight for existence against the rising tide of Eastern nationalism rather than to a sound *Judenstaat;* the third to an economically segregated, assimilating community subject to Anti-Semitic attacks, rather than to a self-supporting Hebrew cultural center which would 'save' world Jewry. Center, Right and Left are in agreement that a solution of the Jewish problem through the creation of a National Home in Palestine may be achieved by utilizing toward that end the forces which dominate present-day society . . . . Here is the fundamental fallacy of Zionism that, relying on an international law without sanction except that given it by imperial armies, on international imperialism which is interested in aggression, exploitation, acquisition . . . it looks for a solution of its problem to those forces which are at bottom responsible for the existence, growth and perpetuation of its problem."

Mr. Solow contrasts the character of the present membership of the Zionist Organization as a result of its policy with what its membership used to be. Once Zionism was considered by some to be part of a social protest movement against such evils as violent Anti-Semitism, *shtadlan* government, the snobbishness of charity mongers, Jewish striving against assimilation, the demagogy of Jewish politicians. To-day the movement attracts allrightnicks and elevates to office those who are numbered among the powers that be. To-day the note of social protest is disappearing as control is exercised by a few millionaires and their hand-picked representatives or proxies. To-day influential *shtadlans in* Washington, New York, and London issue orders and the Actions Committee rubber stamps them.

The writer says: "To continue expenditures of energy and money to carry out any of the programs offered by the present Zionist leadership is fantastic Messianism. Nevertheless, even such Zionists as admit this will find it hard to choose between the horns of this dilemma: to go on working in a hopeless and disintegrating movement, or to 'crystallize' the Jewish community in Palestine at its present stage of development and throw it and its problems into the general hopper of Jewish problems, letting them take their turn for solution . . . World Jewry, a new view has it, should help the *Yishub* along with money contributions and a friendly word. This view is in no sense Zionism, though it may pass under the same name. And it is plain it will contribute nothing to the solution of the Jewish problem which Zionism was supposed to achieve." **f.f.c.**

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anadian Jewish Review,

We should like to call your attenon to Mr. Herbert's Solow's article, The Realities of Zionism," in the rrent issue of The Menorah Jourl. In view of the present serious onist crisis, we believe this artie to be especially timely and usel, constituting as it does a most ndid, thorough and documented udy of the aims, development and esent character and position of the onist movement from a Jewish int of view.

Mr. Solow's article is the latest of number of studies that The Menah Journal has been able to offer readers on crucial Jewish probms (religion, philanthropy, Zionism, lture, education) during the past w years. This is in keeping with conception that one of the imrtant functions of a public journal to supply information and clarifition, especially in times of crisis, order to assist better understandg and the construction of sounder d more effective policies. Often plently attacked on their appearce, always widely debated, these udies have in the end all won recnition as important, pioneering, thoritative contributions.

Confident that no legitimate Jewish interest can be injured by the widest publicity and discussion, The Menorah Journal hopes that Mr. Solow's article will stimulate the most thorough examination of Zionist fundamentals in Jewish circles and elsewhere; and the pages of The Menorah Journal are, of course, open to any men and women who wish to undertake similar analyses of this (or other) important issues in Jewish life — on the same plane of honesty and seriousness and realism.

We should also be glad to hear from you your personal reaction to Mr. Solow's article, and we should very much appreciate your comments on his views.

Sincerely yours,
E. E. Cohen,
Managing Editor.

Editor,
Canadian Jewish Review,

I wish to express my sincere thanks to your esteemed paper for the splendid support accorded me in my election on the Board of Education.

Sincerely yours,
(Mrs. I. H.) Ida L. Siegel.
53 Lee Avenue,
Toronto.

OTTAWA

At a farewell reception to Their xcellencies the Governor-General d the Viscountess Willingdon, at afalgar House, the local clubuse of ex-service-men, under the spices of the Canadian Legion of e British Empire Service League, s. A. J. Freiman, Dominion Orizer of the Poppy-Wreath Distrition, presented to Her Excellency, lovely bouquet of crimson poppies scountess Willingdon was in black lvet with a black velvet hat and ck fur wrap and Mrs. A. J. Freian, who accompanied Her Excelcy on the platform, wore a gown black, with a corsage bouquet of chids. Col. LeFleche, on behalf of ppy headquarters, presented to r Excellency a finely-engraved adess framed in silver and signed Lieut.-Col. LaFleche, as Dominion esident of the Legion; Mrs. A. J. eiman, national organizer for the ppy wreath distribution; J. A. Isaac, Dominion Treasurer; and R. Bowler, Dominion Secretary of e Legion.

SUDBURY

Born to Mr. and Mrs. M. Moses, of dbury, December 24th, a son. The remony was performed by Rabbi adowsky, of Toronto, on Decem- 31st. Dinner was served to 20 ests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Moses. M. Wagman, of Toronto, her of Mrs. M. Moses, was present.

HAMILTON

Mr. and Mrs. J. Morris are on a lor trip through Florida.

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Mr. and Mrs. I. Levy have returnfrom a visit to Ottawa with their ghter, Mrs. L. Epstein, and Mr. tein.

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riends of Mr. and Mrs. H. Vine- surprised them on Sunday evening at their home on their 12th wedding anniversary.

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Mesdames H. Siderski, W. Steinberg, L. Swartz, E. Fagan, M. Garshowitz, M. Wiseman, L. Greenfield, H. Lees and A. Kulick were hostesses on Monday night at a card party in aid of Hadassah.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Beube returned from a motor trip to New York.

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Mrs. S. Rabkin entertained at the tea hour Sunday last in honor of her niece, Miss Thelma Clavir, of Toronto, a January bride.

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Mrs. Alex Stein, 143 Province Avenue south, entertained nine tables of bridge Wednesday night. Prize-winners were Miss Lillian Wright, Mesdames P. Wright, Fagan, Gooblar, Ablin, Barrs, Ginsberg, Waxman, Lattner.

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Miss Sadye Barrs, 179 West avenue, has returned from a visit in Pittsburg, Philadelphia, Washington and New York.

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An open meeting of Beth Jacob Social Circle was held Sunday evening, January 4, at the club rooms. D. Kaufman installed as officers: President, Ab. Walters; Vice-President, Dr. S. Rosen; Vice-Chairlady, Miss Ruth Rosenberg; Corresponding Secretary, Miss Bertha Minden; Financial Secretary, Phil Barrs; Treasurer, Moe Beube; Committee, Misses Freda Levy, Bess Goldberg, Norma Guzner, and Dr. Harry Palkin, Al Lager and George Steinberg. Rabbi M. J. Wohlgelernter, newly-inducted rabbi of the synagogue, spoke on "Giving Judaism a Chance". Discussion. Dancing. Next meeting Sunday, January 18.

QUEBEC

Mrs. L. Smilovitz, age 53, died January 5 at her home, 34 Des Fosses Street, Quebec City. She is survived by her husband, two daughters, Misses Rachel and Rebecca; and two sons, Simon and Samuel.

Historical Sketches

The Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue, of Montreal, of which Rabbi Charles Bender is the leader, originated in 1768 when the early Jewish settlers organized themselves into a congregation. They called it Shearith Israel (Remnant of Israel). It was the second such congregation to be established in America, the first being the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue of New York. The members followed the customs and ritual of the Sephardic Jews since most of them were descendants of exiles from Spain and Portugal. David David gave the congregation permission to build the first Canadian synagogue on a lot belonging to him. They erected the building at Notre Dame and St. James Streets in 1777. Thin brass plates perforated with names of founders and also coins brought from Spain and Portugal were placed in the cornerstone. These were removed years later to the building on Chenneville Street and still later to the cornerstone of the Stanley Street Synagogue. The oldest Jewish grave in Canada is that of Lazarus David, a real estate owner, who died in 1776 and was buried in the congregation's burial ground on St. Janvier Street near the present Dominion Square. When that cemetery was closed his remains and the original headstone were removed to the present cemetery.

The first Jews to come to Canada, (several of them connected with the British army and others merchants and traders,) were the first members of the Spanish and Portuguese Synagogue. They were Abraham Franks, Levy Solomons, Aaron Hart, Lazarus David, Uriel Moresco, Joseph Bindona, Jacob de Maurera, Isaac Miranda, Emanuel de Cordova, Fernandez da Fonseca, Andrew Hays, Isaac and Uriah Judah, Manuel Gomez Simon Levy. Officers were a Parnas (president); Gabbai, (treasurer); and three who made up the Junto. Former members of the Junto became Elders and could fine members for misdemeanours. The minutes of September 1778 show that Isaac Judah, Andrew Hays, and Myer Michaels were fined two pounds ten shillings for refusing offices to which Levy Michaels and Ezekiel Solomons were elected. Samuel Judah was fined three pounds for refusing to be Parnas. Original founders and their eldest sons on attaining majority were given a double vote. Heavy fines were exacted from any member who caused disharmony in the community or absented himself from *shul* on "any frivolous pretence." Rabbi Raphael Meldola, of England, decided questions of ecclesiastical law for the congregation.

In 1824 the synagogue property became that of David David's heirs and the building was demolished. The congregation worshipped near Benjamin Hart's home at St. Helen's and Recollet Streets. In 1835 the Chenneville Synagogue was built. The cornerstone was laid by M. E. David, a grand-son of Lazarus David. Among subscribers were Moses Montefiore, of London, England, and Mrs. Francis Michaels, sister of David David. In 1887 the cornerstone of the Stanley Street Synagogue was laid by Gershom Joseph, President. C. I. de Sola, Secretary of the Building Committee, chose the design. There were numerous rabbis, among them Rabbi Abraham de Sola, who served for 36 years and was succeeded at his death by his son, Rev. Meldola de Sola, who served until his death in 1918.

During their time outstanding workers were Dr. Aaron Hart David, Jacob Henry Joseph, Jesse Joseph, the three Benjamin brothers, Samuel, Goodman, and William: Lawrence and Charles Levey, Edwin Morris, Simon Hart, Alexander Levy, G. I. Ascher, Lewis Alexander Hart, Louis David, Jacob H. Blumenthal, Alexander Saunders, Edward Cohen, Maurice Jacobs, Moses Gutman, Abraham and Samuel Brahadi, M. Fonseca, M. Blackman, J. Garcia, S. De Lara, J. Maranda, J. Samuel, who had a beautiful tenor voice, and Gershom de Sola who sang bass; also Isaac Kirschberg, D. A. Ansel, Jacob G. Ascher, Edward, David and Lawrence Moss, S. Silverman, A. Kirschberg, Z. Auerbach, Z. Fineberg, Israel Rubenstein, Harris Vineberg, J. S. Leo, Louis Rubenstein. In 1893 the congregation commemorated the 125th. anniversary of its founding.

During the World War the following served: Captain William Sebag Monetefiore, Hyman H. Lightstone, Albert Freedman, Ira and Gordon Lightstone, Hugh Joseph, Abraham S. Michelson, Arthur Hart, Philip Blumenthal, Samuel and David Ruttenberg, Maitland Leo, Irwin Rubinovitch, Ralph Groner, Alex Solomon.

Present officers of the congregation are: Captain William Sebag Montefiore, President; I. S. Goldenstein, Honorary Parnas; A. L. Kaplansky, Parnas; Phillip Hart, Honorary Secretary; Edward Hart, Treasurer; and S. G. Bendon, Dr. E. A. Greenspon, I. Kirschberg, J. S. Leo, F. Spielman, Harry Livinson, Marcus Sperber, and Mrs. Martin Wolff, Trustees.

A. Z. A. INSTALLATION

Aleph Zadik Aleph, of Toronto, met at High Park Club, Saturday evening, and saw the executive installed by the retiring Aleph Godol, Percy Kopman. New officers: Aleph Godol, Hart Wintrob; Aleph S'gan, Lawrence Difko; Aleph Mazkir, George Rogh; Aleph Gishor, Harry Hertzman; Aleph Shotare Godol, Irving Zaid; Aleph Shotare Kotone, Harold Green; Aleph Sopher, Julius Shapire; Aleph Kohen Godol, Paul Sherman. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. M. Wintrob, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Raphael and N. Perlmutter. After the banquet the President of the Bnai Brith, N. Perlmutter, and Mr. Raphael, Vice-President of Bnai Brith, spoke. The retiring Aleph Godol delivered his valedictory and the incoming Aleph Godol was introduced by M. Wintrob, the Chapter's advisor. Dancing. Hebrew Essay contest is in progress for boys between 12 and 16. Information from M. Frank at Talmud Torah; or Paul Sherman, 537 Queen St. W.

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Sabbath at 10.30—Portion of the Week; Sunday at 11: "The Quest for Happiness."

Pulpit flowers last week were from Alec, Bob and Peter Myers in memory of their father, Ben Myers.

Convention of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations begins Sunday evening, January 18th, at Philadelphia. Any members who will be in the East during that time should let Rabbi Eisendrath know so that they may represent Holy Blossom at the convention. Official delegates: Rabbi Eisendrath representing the Congregation; Mrs. Nathan Phillips, the Sisterhood; and Joss Kaplan, the Men's Club.

Sunday Morning Assembly: Story of Jacob was told by Miss Pollick's Class, Martin Rober, Gordon Bernstein, Lucille Singer, Murray Emkin and Rita Freeman. Sunday Afternoon Assembly: Mock Trial by the Septem Club, Leonard Cohen, Arthur Bernstein, Bert Danson, Arnold Rothschild, Sydney Harris, Louis Kaufman and assisted by Robert Raphael.

During the past week Rabbi Eisendrath addressed the Central Y.W.C.A., Parents-Teachers Meeting of the Rawlinson School; Toronto Credits Limited.

Sisterhood Rummage Sale Tuesday, January 20th. Rummage may be left at the Chambers, or will be called for by arrangement with Mrs. Maurice Cohen, Lakeside 6595.

NEW CLUB WANTS MEMBERS

Sunday, December 28th, Max Cohen and Ben Mandle organized the Torelofs Club, a social, athletic and literary organization. Sunday, January 4th, officers elected were: President, Ben Levitt; Vice-president, Syd Spiegel; Recording Secretary, Dave Grosse; Financial Secretary, Mac Cohen; Representative from general body to the executive, Louis Allen. Following have applied for membership: Morris Gleitman, Harold Raberman and Morris Karten. Next meeting Sunday, January 18th, at 2 p.m. at the home of Max Cohen, 23 Baldwin Street. Boys between the ages of 18 and 20 years wishing to join this club communicate with Ben Levitt, Trinity 7117.

PROCEEDS OF SHOWER GO TO POOR

Ladies' Auxiliary, Toronto Independent Benevolent Society, held a bridge and grocery shower Tuesday evening, January 6th, under the direction of Mrs. H. Baum, President. Over 100 guests were present. Mesdames H. Baum, L. Mudrick, H. Kleiman, I. Ambrose, T. Buchin, L. Lang, P. Kandel and C. Lewis were hostesses. Proceeds were distributed immediately to needy families.

HADASSAH CHAPTER WANTS MEMBERS

Business girls, preferably with a high school education, desirous of joining a newly-formed Hadassah Chapter call Miss Helen Richmond, Trinity 6769, or Miss Sophie Gold, Trinity 3089-W, after 7 p.m.

Goel Tzedec Synagogue, University Avenue, Rabbi Samuel Sachs.

Friday at 8:30 the Rabbi will answer the question, "Is There a Scientific Basis under the Jewish Laws Pertaining to Diet?" Cantor Barkin.

Saturday at 10:30 sermon on the weekly portion. Children's service at 10, Sidney Schipper, speaker. Bernard Schipper, reader.

Junior Y. P. L. Sunday at 8:30, Murray Keyfetz, leader.

January dinner-meeting of the Men's Club Wednesday, 6.30 p.m., in the Synagogue Chambers. Guest speaker, Rabbi Jeremiah Berman, of Temple Beth El, Rochester, N.Y. Reservations with Mr. Oelbaum, Trinity 0679.

Sisterhood bridge Saturday evening, January 24th, in the vestry rooms, from 9 to 11. Dancing later. Tickets from Mrs. P. Dolgoff, Lo. 1220.

MIDNIGHT SHOW

Wir Dienen Club charitable midnight show at the Bloor Street Theatre Friday evening, January 16th. Miss Dolly Stone, convenor. Tickets at the box office.

MEMBERS WANTED

Ravenna Girls Club is open for membership, telephone Miss Grace Jaffe, Hillcrest 8654.

CLUB MEETS WEDNESDAY

Hebrew Weston Sanitarium Club meets Wednesday, January 1st, at the home of Mrs. I. Cooper, 162 Madison Avenue, at 2.30 p.m.

WIN PRIZES AT BENEFIT

Grand Order of Israel, Toronto Lodge No. 2, held a card party in aid of the Distress Fund at the City Dairy Auditorium, Spadina Crescent Monday evening, January 12th. Refreshments and the Hall were given gratis through the courtesy of the City Dairy officials. Twenty-four tables of bridge were played. Prize-winners: Mesdames I. Freedman, R. Freedman, M. Burgess, M. Wintraub, L. Chousky, N. Abrams, N. Aarons, H. Kay, B. Applebaum, Geller, I. Yaffe, B. Kauffman, Osslinger, S. Richmond, M. Weiner, Misses Rich, Mollie Weinhart, Nelson, Pearl Goldman, Annie Frohman, Offstein, Shirley Shogilev; and Messrs Feinstein, Laderman and Berger. Dancing Committee: L. Saperia, M. Burgess, R. Freedman, J. Rosen, M. Paul, J. Landis, M. Wintraub, I. Goldman, L. Rosenberg, I. Shapp, H. Cohen, J. Shogilev, and C. Pasternak.

MEMBERS WANTED

Literary and social club open for membership to refined boys of twenty and over. Call Max Berger, Trinity 1191.

BENEFIT BRIDGE GIVEN

The Sinais held a bridge meeting at Old Spain. $25 was collected for the Unemployed Fund and for towels for the Old Folks Home. The Sinais' tea was held January 10th at the home of Mrs. B. Leibman, Roxton Road. Hostesses were Mesdames H. Fine, Mrs. J. N. Greenberg, Mrs. E. Ezrin, and Mrs. S. Green.

MEMBERS WANTED

Recently-organized club requires members from 18 to 20 years of age. Call Miss Evelyn Weiser, Adelaide 3842.

LODGE INSTALLS OFFICERS AT BANQUET

The Grand Order of Israel Loyal Lodge No. 4 held their third annual banquet, dance and installed officers. Past Grand Noble Master Percy Wright, of Hamilton, was assisted by Paul Albright, past Noble Master and Organizer of the Toronto Lodge. Officers: Noble Master, H. Weiner; V. N. Masters, Paul Albright; Financial Secretary, Sol Glober; Recording Secretary, S. Lisgarten; Treasurer, L. Abraham; Trustees, M. Balonsky, M. Bloom, F. Brass; Marshalls, I. Abraham, M. Turk; Guardian, I. Tomson; Visiting Stewards, J. Lapidus, Ch. Abramovitch; Physician, Dr. N. Rosen; Auditors, J. Goodman, M. Ezrin. Present were Charles Abramovitch, Lou Abrams, Jos. Goodman, Al Risman, Frank Brass, Manny Ezrin, Sam Lisgarten, M. Lichman, Jack Finer, Lou Lindenbaum, Maxwell S. King, Jack Samborsky, Murray Turk, M. Rotstein, Hy Weiner, Hy Weinstein, Irving Silverman, I. Seolnick, Mac Bloom, Al Jacobs, M. Green, Irving White, G. Teanen, Ben Alkin, William G. Ryfe, Mrs. Abramovitch, Fay Perlmutter, Rose Gold, Sue Isenberg, Miss Flere, Sally Cohen, Ann Abraham, Lottie Newman, Gertie Klein, Lily Ross, Cella Katz, Pearl Rastan, Ann Shore, Bert Shuster, Ann Milkin, Bella Applebaum, Rose Chernos, Helen Saunders, Bertha Gould, Gert Greenbaum, Rose Crystal, Shirley Silverstein, Miss Teystal, Miss Banfield, Pott Hoffman, A. Gould, Morris Turk, Sam W. Pasis, Judah Lapidus, H. Abrams, Sol Glober, Dr. N. Rosen, Mrs. Albright, Mrs. A. Gould, Hy Jacks, Al Rosenberg, Jack Wright, Bella Waxman, Rose Wright, Bella Starkman, Rose Smith, Fay Gerstein. Honour guests were Rabbi Samuel Sachs; and Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wright, of Hamilton.

The social chairman, J. Lapidus, introduced the following speakers: Rabbi Samuel Sachs, Past Grand Noble Master, Percy Wright, of Hamilton, Noble Mistress, Ann Abraham, of Loyal Young Ladies' Lodge No. 4; Noble Master, H. Weiner, elect, presented the retiring Noble Master, S. W. Pasis, with a token of appreciation from the Lodge. Mr. Pasis, responded. Another presentation was made by Paul Albright, Vice N. Master, to the Financial Secretary, Sol Glober, who responded.

PURIM CONCERT MARCH 1

Executive meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Brunswick Ave. Talmud Torah, decided to hold a Purim Concert and dance March 1st, at 8.30 p.m. at the Talmud Torah Building. Tickets are out. Convenors: Mrs. D. Goldberg, Hi. 945F-W; Mrs. B. Witkin, Tr. 8196; Mrs. A. Greenbaum, Tr. 1530-W.

COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN GIVES SCHOLARSHIP

The Council of Jewish Women meeting January 8th in the Red Room of the Windsor Hotel, heard Mr. Van Hoven of the T. Eaton Company interior decorating department on "Color Harmony in the Home." Furnishings for three rooms were exhibited to demonstrate correct color combinations. Mrs. Ezra Lozinski sang modern Russian and German folk songs, accompanied on the piano by Miss Sonia Milston. Mrs. D. W. Notkin, the president, announced that the Council had voted a scholarship of $50 to the Talmud Torah and that a bundle of infants wear had been sent to the Montreal Baby and Foundling Hospital, St. Urbain Street.

TORONTO SOCIAL

Mrs. Julius Elsman, Clifton Road, left last week for Chicago for an indefinite stay.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Lyons, Douglas Drive, left Sunday night for Florida where they will spend about three weeks.

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Miss Frances Wolpaw, of Cleveland, Ohio, arrived in town the latter part of this week and will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Allen, Roxboro Drive.

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Mr. and Mrs. Frank D. Benjamin, of London, England, arrived in town this week and are registered at the Royal York Hotel. Mr. Benjamin was president of Holy Blossom Synagogue from 1901 to 1908. He received a commission in the Queen's Own Rifles of Canada retiring in 1908 with the rank of captain. Mr. Benjamin was also a Justice of the Peace for the County of York. He is a prominent communal worker in London.

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The following were present at the surprise party given in honor of the 24th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Raphael at their home on Ridge Drive: Mr. and Mrs. Barney Harris, Mr. and Mrs. William Dannenberg, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fenner, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jacobs, Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Cohen, Mr. and Mrs. M. Rosenfeld, Mr. and Mrs. S. Cohen, Mrs. L. B. Levetus, Mrs. Joseph Cohn, Mrs. Mann and daughter, Anna, Mrs. H. Marks and Miss Etta Birkenthal.

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Harold Pritzker, MacLean Avenue, who spent the past two weeks in New York, came home on Monday.

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Mrs. H. L. Nussbaum, Church Street, left Friday for New York where she will spend about six weeks, visiting with her mother.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Creed, Glen Road, left Monday night for New York and will return the latter part of the week.

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Mrs. Bernard Glickman, of Montreal, who has been visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Levy, St. Clair Avenue West, left for home Friday last.

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Mrs. A. Samuel, Huron Street, and Mrs. M. M. Silverberg, Lonsdale Road, entertained at a luncheon and bridge at the Primrose Club on Thursday in honor of Miss Thelma Clavir, a bride-elect. Out-of-town guests present were: Mrs. S. E. Rose, of Hamilton; Mrs. Al Ginsberg, of Huntsville; Mrs. William Clavir, of Kitchener; Mrs. S. Rabkin, of Hamilton; and Mrs. Frank Fried, of North Bay.

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M. I. Greisman, Killarney Road, is sailing Saturday afternoon from New York, on the Majestic, for Europe.

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Mrs. L. Goldstein, Standish Avenue, entertained Saturday afternoon, in honor of her daughter, Gloria's third birthday. Present were: Mildred Colman, Queenie and Frances Freedman, Vivian Barki, Cynthia Barrett, Merle and Martin Rotstein and Joyce Rea.

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Miss Ruth Fox, of London, Ont., spent a short time with her sister, Mrs. Ruben Cohen, of Walmer Road.

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Mrs. A. L. Soles, St. Clements Avenue, was hostess to some of her friends on Sunday evening last.

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Miss Pauline Bernbaum, Carlysle Avenue, gave a tea and dance Saturday, January 3rd, in honor of Miss Rose Nathanson, of Hamilton. Misses Estelle Riman, Rosalind Greisman and Leah Leventhal assisted the hostess.

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Misses Dorothy Garbe, Glenmaire Road, entertained at three tables of bridge on Sunday evening last. Prizes were won by Misses Estelle Riman, Pauline Bernbaum, and Rosalind Greisman.

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Miss Sonia Kleinberg, of Montreal, who has been visiting her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. David Kleinberg, Vaughan Road, for the past two weeks, left for home Monday night.

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Miss Rae Dover, Melville Avenue, entertained at luncheon at the Arcadian Court in honor of Miss Gertrude Adelman, of Montreal.

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Miss Pearl Soltz, Ulster Street, was hostess at a luncheon at the Arcadian Court, in honor of Miss Rose Kendal, of London, Ont.

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Miss Gertrude Adelman, of Montreal, who has been the guest of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. Birn, Glenholme Avenue, returned home on Sunday.

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Mr. and Mrs. David Kleinberg, Vaughan Road, were hosts Sunday evening to some of their friends.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Glass, of Los Angeles, who have been visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. H. Karlin, Beverley Street, and Mr. and Mrs. John J. Glass, Heath Street West, left for home on Sunday. Those who entertained in their honor were Mr. and Mrs. J. Frankel, Walmer Road, dinner and evening, and Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Glass, dinner.

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Mrs. A. L. Bahr, of Jamaica, Long Island, who has been the guest of her cousin, Mrs. David Goldman, Markham Street, returned home Saturday night last.

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Sunday evening last Miss Julia Keyfitz, Crawford Street, was hostess at a bridge and presentation in compliment to Miss Shirley Your-

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berg, a bride-elect. Present were: Misses Bertha Rashkofsky, Frances Zakon, Faye Oblansky, Anne Yourberg, Lil Keyfitz, Ida Rashkofsky, Rose Stein, Raye Oblansky, Julia Keyfitz, Jessie Yourberg, Beatrice Wahl, Yetta Rayman, Lena Green, Lillian Robertson, and Mesdames Nat Gollom and H. Rubinoff. Prizes were won by Misses Bertha and Ida Rashkofsky, Frances Zakon, and Jessie Yourberg.

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Miss Rose Eisen entertained at an informal dance Saturday evening last in honor of her niece, Miss Esther Weisbrod, Brunswick Avenue. Supper was served buffet style. Those who assisted the hostess were Mesdames J. Weisbrod and N. Miller. Present were: Misses Rose Eisen, Esther Weisbrod, Ethel Solway, Lillian Rosen, Martha Dunn, Jean Zeiger, Evelyn Tenlitz, Corinne Miller, Selma Teplitz, Beulah Wilson; and Manny Davidson, Ralph Kramer, Donald Rankin, Ronald Davis, Ben Sol, Irwin Levine, Maurice Toster, Aaron Cohen, Mayvin Pollack, and George Stone.

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Miss Tillie Zarnett, Oxford Street, entertained at tea Sunday afternoon last at the Royal York Hotel.

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In compliment to Miss Shirley Yourberg, a bride-elect, Mrs. P. Rudolph, Oxford Street, gave a presentation; Miss Lena Green, Westmount Avenue, entertained at tea and presentation; and the Kadimah Girls gave a bridge and presentation at the home of Miss Anne Sautman. Prize-winners were Misses Anne Keystone, Irene Rovan, and Sadie Stone.

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A sleighing party was held Friday last at the home of Miss Pauline Bernbaum, Carlysle Avenue, followed by a Dutch supper and dancing.

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Miss Sylvia Lewis, Castleview Avenue, who spent the past ten days in Montreal, has returned home.

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Mrs. L. Blitzer, of Windsor, Ont., who has been the guest of Dr. and Mrs. J. Pollack, Bathurst Street, for the past week, left for home Thursday morning.

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Mrs. M. Segel, Cedarvale Mansions, was hostess Tuesday evening at bridge honoring her niece, Miss Thelma Clavir, a bride-elect of this month.

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Mr. and Mrs. William Dannenberg, 338 Spadina Road, have returned home from a trip to Atlantic City and New York.

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Misses Beatrice and Lillian Swartz, Palmerston Boulevard, were hostesses at a bridge on Sunday last to Misses Cecile Pullan, Laura White, Norma Dennis, Gertrude Singer, Ethel Lowes, Helen Peltz, Miriam Parl, Doris Tenenbaum, Ruth Pollock, and Helen Tobias.

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Mrs. B. Enushevsky, Beverley Street, was dinner hostess Sunday evening last.

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Miss Ethyle Wintrope, High Park Avenue, was at home to some of her friends on Saturday evening last.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Chaplin, Lauder Avenue, gave a family dinner Sunday last, in honor of their 28th wedding anniversary.

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Mrs. B. Enushevsky, Beverley Street, was hostess at a reception Saturday afternoon in honor of Mrs. M. Steinhorn, of Buffalo, N.Y. Present were: Mesdames L. M. Schwartz, H. Andrews, K. L. Sapera, M. H. Keyfetz, I. Osler, H. Lazaresco, and Samuel Sachs.

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Complimenting Mrs. Louis Goldstein, (née Marian Jackson) whose marriage took place Sunday, January 11th, were: Miss Yetta Coutes, Bartlett Avenue, handkerchief shower; Miss Sally Silver, Crawford Street, bridge at the Embassy Club; Miss Ada Cohen, Manning Avenue, tea; Philadon Club, tea; Miss Goldie Shier, Vaughan Road, theatre; Misses Ruth and Shirley Levinson, Bloor Street West, bridge; Miss Ada Schleffer, Queen Street East, tea at the King Edward Hotel; Mrs. M. Silverman, of Hamilton, dinner; Miss Goldie Potashin, bridge; Mrs. J. Spergel, Evelyn Avenue, bridge; Mrs. Samuel Cohen and Miss Lena Soltz, luncheon at the Arcadian Court; Miss Beatrice Konokoff, bridge; Mrs. E. Mannis, Lauder Avenue, bridge; Mrs. H. Rosenthal, Clinton Street, luncheon and theatre; Mrs. R. Levy, Bloor Street West, dinner; Mrs. P. Taube, Palmerston Boulevard, bridge; Mrs. S. Rosen, Clinton Street, bridge; Misses Irene Hoffman, Bernice Shulman, Edith Devoretsky, and Sophie Zweig, tea at the Royal York Hotel.

Among Toronto Jewish Women

Mrs. H. M. Goodman, 160½ Arlington Avenue, says: "Mrs. Ida L. Siegel, of 53 Lee Avenue, is the most capable woman I know. In spite of the many obstacles she has been forced to overcome in her career she still retains a marvellous enthusiasm for the many new movements and advanced ideas of the day. Not only this, but she has always been able to inspire those with whom she has come in contact with the same enthusiasm. The Sisterhood of the Goel Tzedec Synagogue, of which she was the organizer, would certainly not be what it is to-day were it not for her inspiring influence. She has also the faculty for instilling confidence in other women enabling them to fill successfully, their rightful places in the community. Mrs. Siegel is one of the few women in whose home the conservative-loving Jew can still find a spiritual haven. Always she spends the Sabbath day at home with her children and the beauty and dignity which she brings to bear on the observances of Jewish ritualism is indeed admirable in the hustle and bustle of modern times. "She has always had a deep understanding of child welfare matters. Years ago she put forth suggestions which then were tabooed as being impractical and far-fetched but which to-day are accepted facts. I considered her then, and still do, a prophet in her day."

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Mr. and Mrs. William Raskin, Montrose Avenue, were hosts at a dinner party to the following on Sunday: Mr. and Mrs. H. Rosen, Mr. and Mrs. L. Bernard, Mr. and Mrs. S. Zaid, Mr. and Mrs. S. Greenberg, Mr. and Mrs. M. Sigal, Mr. and Mrs. N. Estrin, Mr. and Mrs. H. Estrin, Mr. and Mrs. H. Freedman, Mr. and Mrs. I. Fox, Mr. and Mrs. H. Liebman, Mr. and Mrs. C. Pascovitch, Mr. and Mrs. K. Geller, Mr. and Mrs. J. Appelbaum, Mr. and Mrs. Z. Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. T. Roth, Mr. and Mrs. J. Wiser, and Miss R. Roth.

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Miss Gerry Singer, Markham Street, entertained at her home Tuesday in honour of Miss Norma Dennis. Misses Esther Clavir, Frieda Kaminker, Sylvia Levinter, Sylvia Samuels, Jean Pearl, Bea and Lillian Swartz were there.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Stone, Cecil Street, left Sunday for Miami, Fla., where they will spend the winter.

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Mrs. M. S. Gottlieb, Beatrice Street, was hostess at a bridge in honor of Mrs. David Levi, of Cleveland, Ohio, and Miss Shirley Roden, of Hamilton. Prizes were won by Mesdames Harry Penny, Joseph Herman, Samuel Marks, Louis Raisberg, and Harvey Zener. The honorees were presented with gifts.

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Mrs. W. Lewis, Palmerston Avenue; Mrs. J. Grossman, Misses Rae Grossman and Mary Lewis, Manning Avenue, gave a bridge and miscellaneous shower on Tuesday at a down-town tea room in compliment to Miss June Lewis, a bride-elect. The following received invitations: Misses Shirley Greenbaum, Annie Feltz, Shirley and Fay Zaretsky, Leah Kendal, Sadie Soble, Betty Frank, Shirley Sugarman, Anne Solway, S. Carmen, Bella Zone, Emma and Rae Grossman, Fay Goodman, Rose Glass, Anne Dodofsky, Anne and Pauline Tarno, Martha Blidner, Leah Shapiro, Misses A. and E. Rosenberg, Lena Rosenberg, S. Tachrose and Annie Seiger, B. and M. Goodman, Reva Balshin, Celia Pearlstein, Lillian Baker, Rae Mitchell, Rose and Lillian Talles, Bessie Bled, Mary Rappaport, Sarah Goldstein, Ida Smith, Annie Spector, Esther Rachlin, Florence, Edith and Molly Wintraub, Molly Haimes, M. Phillips, Rae Grossman, Mesdames B. Kay, I. Keyfetz, M. Wolfe, M. Grossman, M. Sheffer, Mary Sheffer, I. Balshin, L. Baker, R. Mitchell, A. Mercer, D. Mercer, A. Slaikoff, R. Shapiro, L. Toplinsky, A. King, M. Selger, J. Levy, Finkelstein, L. Rachlin, C. Zone, I. Selderson, A. Markus, S. Shapiro, S. Silver, S. Shapiro, S. Parnes, A. Lewis, I. Lewis, T. Selger, and P. King.

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Mr. and Mrs. F. Coutes, of Chicago, are in town visiting with their daughter, Mrs. A. Jackson, Bartlett Avenue, for two weeks.

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Miss Ida Solway, Brunswick Avenue, entertained at a luncheon, at the Primrose Club, in honor of Miss Thelma Clavir, a bride-elect.

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Mrs. L. Soles, Kendal Avenue, left on Sunday for Miami, Florida, where she will spend the winter.

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Miss Mynne Soltz, Ulster Street, left on Monday to spend six weeks in Miami, Fla.

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Miss Sarah Feen, of Montreal, is at the Royal York Hotel.

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Miss Helen Goldstein, Lyndhurst Avenue, was at home to a few of her friends at bridge Sunday evening last.

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Dr. and Mrs. M. Segel, Mr. and Mrs. L. Segel, Mr. and Mrs. George Goldblatt and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Levinson, of Hamilton, Ont., were in town to hear the concert given by Isa. Kremer at Massey Hall.

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Miss Jeanette Enzer, of Montreal, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. J. Kasler, Garfield Avenue.

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Mrs. A. Rotstein, Lyndhurst Avenue, will be hostess at tea on Sunday in honor of her sister, Miss Clara Miller, a bride-elect of March. S. Rockmaker will pour the tea; Mrs. S. Miller will pour the coffee; Mrs. C. Rotstein will cut the ices; and Mrs. J. Lunenfield will receive in the dining room. The assistants will be Misses Kay Fox, Esther Freedman, Kitty Fox and Etta Wagman.

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Mrs. L. Chankin, Bracondale Hill Road, left to spend a week in New York.

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Russell C. Greenberg, of Montreal, spent a week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. de Young Greenberg, Bloor Street West.

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Mr. and Mrs. L. Rosenfeld, Clifton Road, left Monday night for a week's stay in New York.

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Mrs. J. R. Lisson, of Great Neck, L.I., is here and will be with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Willinsky, Bernard Avenue, for three weeks.

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Mrs. Howard Robinson, of Montreal, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. L. Greenberg, Braemore Gardens.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. Broudy, Lauder Avenue, have as their guest, Mrs. M. Frankel of Stanford, Conn., who will spend two weeks with them.

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Mrs. Murray S. Brodey, Yonge Street, leaves Friday for Florida to be away for the remainder of the winter.

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Mrs. Max Donn, Holland Park Avenue, entertained on Sunday in honor of her eldest daughter, Estelle Shirley's, 7th birthday. Present were: Anne Silverman, Mildred Gordon, Gertrude and Helen Zeidel, Mildred and Shirley Harris, Freda, and Lillian Jessel, Helen Cohen, Maria Joseph, Betty Rodness, Helen and Estelle Donn; and Eddide Rose, Milton Stolloff, Bernard Goldstein, and Harold Rodness.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. Zahler and family, Highbourne Road, who have been visiting with Mrs. Zahler's mother, Mrs. C. Magid, for the past three weeks have come home.

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Mrs. M. B. Wasserman, Lauder Avenue, entertained at a party in honor of her daughter, Ruth's 11th birthday. Dolly Benson, Shirley Brill, Edna Brill, Shirley Eisen, Pauline Frankford, Shirley Saigler, Helen Hollinger, Sylvie Jacobson, Goldy Rose, Madeline Phillips, Edna Stein, Pauline Summerstein, Frances Wagman, Constance Weingarten, Joyce Weingarten; and Edward Brill, David Eisen, Harold Green, Archie Rose, Howard Phillips, Herbert Wagman and George Wasserman received favors.

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Louis M. Goldenberg, medical student at the University of Toronto, returned home from visiting in New York, Morristown, Elizabeth, Newark, Buffalo and Detroit. In New York he attended the Beta Sigma Rho Fraternity Convention.

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Mr. and Mrs. S. Marlow, Markham Street, have left for a short stay in New York and Philadelphia.

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Miss Estelle Eisman, Euclid Avenue, was at home Saturday evening last to Misses Betty Bergman, Connie Morris, Helyn Langer, Rose Gold; and Charles Steinberg; Irving Segal, Irwin Mandel, Norman Rash, and Thomas Brown.

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Misses Anne Zaldin, Queen Street East, and Miss Helen Soupcoff, Beatrice Street, were hostesses at a luncheon at the Arcadian Court in honor of Miss Margaret Shumacker, a bride-elect, to Misses Lil Sandler, Clara Morrison, of Sarnia; Clara Edell and Doris Bernstein.

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Miss Rose Spector, Grace Street, spent the past week in Hamilton with Mr. and Mrs. H. Gunter.

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Miss Sally Peltz, Lakeview Avenue, and Miss Rose Zwickel, Dundas Street West, entertained at tea Saturday afternoon at the Arcadian Court in honor of Miss Margaret Shumacker, bride-elect.

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Mrs. J. Breslin, Queen Street East, gave a bridge Wednesday evening last, honoring Miss Molly Luxenberg, a bride-elect of February.

CLUB DANCE

Ad Rem Club entertained at a dance at the home of Miss Ruth Rothel, 277 Crawford Street. Misses Frances Steinberg, Ruth Roth, Esther Bloom, Evelyn Liebovitz, Ruth Tishler, Dora Charndoff, Shirley Dempsey, Betty Mandell and Murray Clyman, Bill Gilbert, Morton Langer, Harry Feldman, Samuel Tetef, Morton Ceresne, Allan Green and Bill Sloteroff. A pair of Italian marble book-ends will be raffled by the club. Drawing to take place March 30th.

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CAMPERS RE-UNION

A re-union of the boy and girl campers of Indian Acres and Forest Acres Camps took place at a tea at the King Edward Hotel Friday, January 2nd. Mrs. J. B. Danson, Jameson Avenue, and Mrs. A. Krasker, of Boston, Mass., received.

69th. GIRL GUIDES

At a rally of West Central District, Wednesday, at Parish Hall, guides who took part in First Aid and Bandaging were: Patrol Leaders, Ida Koznits, Ruth Shumer, Ruth Tomsky, Patrol Seconds, Ethel Wainer, Beatrice Sweigman, Evelyn Caller, Guides Muriel Shapiro, Matilda Schwartz, Lily Cohen, Pearl Goldstein, Lily Harris, Bessie Waldman and Hannah Aaron, Ray Levinson, Sophie Golden and Florence Pearlman. Captain Smith was assisted by Lieutenants Jeannette Koznits, Molly Lerner and Mrs. Harry List.

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CLUB BRIDGE

Tuesday, January 6th, the Ha-Gi-La Club held their semi-monthly bridge at the home of Misses Nettie and Ruth Mason. Prizes: first, Miss Ruth Mason; second, Miss Kate Cohen; Third, Miss Ida Cohen; consolation, Miss Bessie Miller.

CLUB CELEBRATES ANNIVERSARY

Jollity Girls' Club celebrated their third anniversary by dining and dancing at Sunnyside Saturday evening, January 10th, from there going on to the home of their president, Miss Edythe Shapiro, Dovercourt Road. A presentation of flowers was made to her by Misses Mollie Adler, Rose Arnoff, Rose Horsburn, Belle Jaffe, Edythe Shapiro, Hilda Sherrick, Anne Tarnow, Ida Tobis, Esther Weinroth, Celia Weinstein, Rose Van Der Hoit, Flo Eisenberg and Harry Barken, Stanley Weinstein, Dave Cohen, Max Cohen, Sol Danim, Sam Fisher, Harry Gould, Lou Libman, Lou Rutenberg, A. Schwartz, Jack Tobis, Harry Zaretsky.

Engagements

Mr. and Mrs. J. Fine, Beatrice Street, announce the engagement of their only daughter, Adeline, to Norman Borins, son of I. Borinsky and the late Mrs. Borinsky of Stouffville, Ont. Marriage March 3rd.

Mrs. Daisy Minster announces the engagement of her daughter, Sadye, to Daniel Sivadron, son of Mr. and Mrs. I. Sivadron.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Nussbaum, announce the engagement of their daughter, Celia, to Morris Kupferberg, of Chicago. Marriage February 13th.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Miller, 242 Queen Street West, announce the engagement of their daughter, Clara, to A. J. Langar, son of Mrs. S. M. Langar, of Hamilton, Ont. Marriage March 8th.

LAW FRATERNITY DINNER

The bi-monthly dinner of Lambda Chapter of Tau Epsilon Rho Law Fraternity took place at the Carls-Rite Hotel. David B. Goodman, gave an address on the "Liability of the Owner of Motor Vehicles." The speaker traced the history and development of legislation relating to the liability of automobile owners and the cases interpreting the various amendments and dealt with the present state of the law. Discussion. This year's program will include papers and addresses by jurists and counsel as well as members. A report of the International Convention at Cleveland was given by Sam Goldhar and Fred Katzman. Chancellor Saul Eison occupied the chair.

ROTHSCHILD CLUB

Charles Lewis addressed the Rothschild Athletic and Social Club on "Sports and the Making of Man."

MANNING ATHLETIC CLUB BANQUET

Manning Athletic Club will tender a banquet to the Junior Rugby Team at Old Spain January 23rd. and will give its annual celebration February 13th. The Club meets Sundays at the Talmud Torah. Information from S. Rubin. This club has won 19 Junior Rugby championships in five years with no financial support. Executive: President, H. Klebanoff; Vice-President, S. Axmith; Secretary, S. Rubin; Treasurer, D. Sobel; Chairman of Social Committee, H. Brown; Chairman of Athletic Committee, S. Cohen; Auditor, I. Catzman. Director of Athletics, J. Leake and W. Feldstein. Coaches: D. Sobel. Manager: M. Nash, Trainer.

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Lambda Phi Club are open to challenges for debates. Information from Miss Anne Seigal, Trinity 0436.

JEWISH BOYS' CLUB

Annual Imperial Treat for Jewish Boys' Club members January 25nd.

Mrs. Norman Wolfson, volunteer worker in charge of Central Branch Wanderer reading room, will re-open the circulation library for Wanderers only Sunday afternoons. Mrs. Wolfson will tell a story Sunday at 4 and gives advice on debates, essays, oral compositions. Miss E. Littner has volunteered to take charge of Jewish programme material. A picture of the late M. M. Cohen, founder of the Jewish Boys' Club, has been placed in the senior lounge room. Mrs. Norman Wolfson has added a table, rug, cushions and plants to the lounge-room. Judaeans, former P.A.U. group of Fraser Center, have re-organized at Central Branch. President, D. Fineberg; Vice-President, S. Fineman; Secretary, Joe Yaffe; Treasurer, S. Rittenberg; Athletic Captain, B. Chorner; Social Chairman, D. Fineberg. Banquet January 25.

Harry Kopky, a medical student at the University of Toronto, addressed the Meteors group on "Keeping One-self Fit". The boys will see the camp movies next week, January 18th, when I. Markus will run them off. January 25th Stewart Thompson will speak on "Birds". David Rose is Mentor of the Canadians. Herzls, meet Sunday afternoons with Mentor Joe Kopman. Leslie Pasis and Sam Wagman, of the Darts, debated Herbert Levitt and Sol Kurin of the Stars on "Resolved that the Jews should return to Palestine". Stars won. Max Dacks, judge.

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WANTS TO BAR JEWISH HOSPITAL

Though he could not stop Alderman Joseph Schubert and Max Seigler from saying what they wanted to, he could and would stop any plans entertained by Jews in Montreal to establish a hospital in Villeray Ward, Ald. Bruno Charbonneau, president of Villeray Ward Labor Club, told members of that organization at a meeting Thursday night, January 8, when someone stated that the two Jewish aldermen had contradicted his previous statements to the effect that "the Jews will not be allowed to build their hospital in this ward."

The meeting, which was held in Ald. Charbonneau's cellar, at 1790 St. Denis street, was productive of much discussion in regard to both the proposed Jewish hospital in the north and the Jewish cemetery north of Sauve street, in Villeray ward, which blocks the direct opening of St. Denis street northwards.

A report on the Jewish cemetery between Lajeunesse and Berri streets was made by the club's lawyer, Alexandre Marler. He pointed out that it was owned by many strong Jewish organizations, including the Baron de Hirsch Institute, the Bnai Jacob Synagogue, the Congregation Shaar Zion of Notre Dame de Grace; the Congregation Beth David and the Hebrew Benevolent Society of Montreal. The cemetery was situated on a perfectly legal site, and had a right, according to law, to thirty-five acres of land.

There are only two ways, Mr. Marler said, by which the cemetery can be removed. One is by owners of the cemetery themselves deciding to move. The other is to have the Provincial Director of Health "declare the cemetery a menace to public health."

"Therefore, the city cannot oust the cemetery, nor can it expropriate it," the lawyer reported. "But the city can block its growth by building streets around it, thus hampering any possibilities of the owners acquiring further land."

This astounded members of the club, many of whom showed that they strongly resented the presence of a Jewish cemetery in the ward.

Rumor has it, the alderman added, that the hospital authorities now favor placing the building on city land near Blue Bonnets race track, the site of the old Notre Dame de Grace sewage farm; he considers that site hardly proper for a hospital such as planned.

Ald. Biggar said:

"In connection with the proposed new Jewish Incurable Hospital three sites have been found available in the City of Montreal the property of the city itself, one in the North-end in Villeray ward, one in the East-end, I believe, in Prefontaine ward, and one in Notre Dame de Grace, between Athol Place and Plamondon street on Clanranald Avenue.

"It is rumored that possibly the hospital authorities may prefer to select the last mentioned site, which is immediately adjoining the plant of the Consolidated Pipe Company, a few hundred feet from the Blue Bonnets race track.

"The land itself is the old sewage farm of Notre Dame de Grace, and, through the insufficiency of the sewer system in this locality, can only be drained with the greatest difficulty. The projected north end collector sewer is to remedy this condition along with similar conditions in many other districts draining toward the north. This project, however, will not be completed for several years. It hardly seems suitable for a modern hospital.

"It is regrettable that so much ill-advised talk should have taken place over the matter of a site for this hospital. Christians or Jews, Catholics, Protestants, or others all have the right to fair treatment under the laws of Canada, and if a promise has been given to provide a free site for this institution let it be implemented and in a suitable spot."

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PHILANTHROPIST DEAD AT AGE OF 82

n New York, January 11, Nathan aus, philanthrophist and leader of lted States Jewry, died peacefuf- in his sleep at 4.30 a.m., at his rtment in the San Remo Hotel. d he lived until January 31 he uld have been 83 years old.

Death ended a coma into which he d sunk 24 hours before. He had en ill for two weeks, but few knew it, and his death came as a shock the city to which many of his lanthropies had been extended.

With him when he died were his n, Nathan, jr., his only daughter, s. Irving Lehman, whose husband a judge of the Court of Appeals, d Dr. Lebpold Stieglitz, a close nd. The cause of death was given the death certificate, signed by Stieglitz, as heart failure and high od pressure.

Word of the death was cabled to other son, Hugh Grant Straus, in ris. Nathan Straus, jr., said his ther's death was "a case of a man years old whose heart has been ne too strong."

In speaking of "the biggest things" than Straus accomplished, his son day quoted from a book written by e philanthropist's wife, whose death curred last spring.

These "biggest things" were his rk for the relief of distress in the nters of 1892-93 and 1893-94; the curing of a supply of pure milk infants and children; and the ming of the word "preventorium" replace "sanitorium" with which treatment of tuberculosis had en generally associated.

Mr. and Mrs. Straus celebrated the lden anniversary of their marriage 1925. During her lifetime she took active interest in his philanthrop- and her death last May marked beginning of the physical decline lch resulted in the death of Mr. aus.

Funeral services Tuesday, in ac- dance with his wishes, reflected . Straus' simple code of living. The plest possible services were con- cted at Temple Emanu-El. There re no flowers; a plain, pine casket s used. The usual practice of ad- sion to the services by tickets was ndoned. At the philanthropist's cific request Temple Emanu-El s open to the general public.

The services began at 10 a.m., and eulogy was spoken. A brief sketch Mr. Straus' life—a life that began Rhenish Bavaria in 1848—was read Prof. William Lyon Phelps of Yale iversity. Psalms were read. Burial s in the family vault in Cypress ls cemetery.

Early in his youth, Nathan Straus de up his mind that as soon as he able he would do all he could help "the other fellow." He was mpted to make that resolution be- se lack of money many times pre- ted him from satisfying his own ger and to him hunger became typification of all suffering. In r life he was enabled to carry out determination of his boyhood. It g said that he spent more than 00,000 in philanthropies, mostly in eving the poor.

The work which brought greatest gnition to Mr. Straus was the ribution to the children of New k of pasteurized milk, a system originated and maintained at his expense many years. His labo- ries, distributing the milk at one a bottle, were credited with hav- saved the lives of thousands of es in the metropolitan district.

ther philanthropies included the ribution of coal during the panic 893 at the rate of 25 pounds for cents; the maintenance of lodg- ing houses supplying bed and breakfast for the same amount, and the establishment of a Tuberculosis Preventorium for Children at Farmingdale, N.J.

"As a boy I can never remember when I wasn't hungry," Mr. Straus said late in life. "I used to see bunches of ripe bananas hanging in the stores and long for enough money to buy just one. I suppose hunger came to typify all kinds of suffering, and I made up my mind that as soon as I was able I'd do all I could to help the other fellow."

Nathan Straus was born at Otterburg, Rhenish Bavaria, Germany, January 31, 1848. A few years later his father, Lazarus Straus, became involved in an unsuccessful revolutionary movement there, and the family was forced to emigrate hastily to America. They settled in Talbotton, Ga., in 1854, where Lazarus Straus opened a little store.

Nathan, who entered school at Collingsworth Institute, was eventually given a corner in the store. Knowing that face powder was a luxury difficult for the Southern women to obtain, he began his business ventures by grinding a twenty-five cent lump of talcum powder into four balls which he sold for ten cents apiece—a gross profit of fifteen cents.

When the Civil War came, sweeping away the little store and leaving behind a collection of debts, Lazarus Straus moved to New York, where Nathan joined in the efforts to establish another business and repay the family debts.

After graduating as class orator from Packer's Business College in 1866, he became a travelling salesman for the crockery business which his father and brother Isidore had established in the basement of Captain R. H. Macy's store, then at 13th street and Sixth avenue. The debts were gradually paid, the crockery business grew, with branch factories established in Europe.

Nathan and Isidore became members of the firm of R. H. Macy and Co., eventually obtaining sole ownership. Several years later Nathan Straus and his brother bought an interest in the department store of Wechsler and Abraham, of Brooklyn, and the firm name was changed to Abraham and Straus.

Mr. Straus' health was noticeably affected by the Titanic disaster in 1912 when the lives of his brother Isidore and his wife were lost. He retired from business soon afterward and devoted himself to philanthropic work.

In 1875 Mr. Straus married Lina Gutherz at Mannheim, Germany. Four children were born to them.

In 1925, when Rabbi Stephen Wise resigned as chairman of the $5,000,000 United Palestine appeal because of severe criticism following his alleged statement that Jesus was no a myth but a man, Mr. Straus, who had contributed $500,000 to the appeal, immediately donated $100,000 more as an evidence of his faith in Rabbi Wise's loyalty to Judaism. Dr. Wise's resignation later was rejected.

Mr. Straus, who was a spare, bearded man with keen eyes, was described late in life by a friend of long standing as "a veritable patriarch of the Jewish race."

PALL-BEARERS

At the funeral of Nathan Straus honorary pallbearers, were: Chancellor Elmer Ellsworth Brown, Arthur Brisbane, Jacob Billikopf, Adrian La Forge, the Rev. John Haynes Holmes, Adolph S. Ochs, William Lyon Phelps, George Foster Peabody, Federal Judge Julian W. Mack, John D. Rockefeller jr., Simon F. Rothschild, Julius Rosenwald, Felix M. Warburg, Mayor Walker, Max J. Kohler, Dr. Leopold Stieglitz, Dr. E. M. Bluestone, Benny Leonard, Samuel Strauss and Dr. David De Sola Pool.

The delegation of four Jewish police officers, accompanied by Rabbi Isidore Frank, Jewish chaplain of the department, which represented the police force at the funeral are members of the Shomrin Society, the Jewish organization of the department. Jewish patrolmen, also members of the society, were pallbearers at the services.

COMMENTARIES

By Rabbi HARRY J. STERN, *of Montreal, Associate Contributing Editor*

A GOOD MAN

Nathan Straus was one of the world's great benefactors, Israel's most distinguished of sons, and American Jewry's best loved Jew.

Through his fine public spirit, his interest in suffering humanity, his identification with every noble endeavor, his magnificent philanthropy, which knew no distinction of race or creed — he glorified the name of Jew and sanctified the God of Israel.

Nathan Straus, above all, was "a good man." And, after all, one earthy thing is permanent. One thing alike defies time and endures thru' eternity—"Goodness"—for goodness is born of God and exists with God. Greatness in man dies with man, but goodness in man is as eternal as his and its Creator.

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What we admired in the life of this good man was his attitude toward wealth. Straus saw an obligation in wealth. In a letter written some years ago he said: "During my whole life I have maintained that wealth, whether moderate or great, creates an obligation upon the holder to use it for the benefit of mankind, and I have lived up to this obligation myself even beyond what I felt was just to myself and my family.

"I have tried to do all the good I could possibly do myself, and by my example to inspire others of greater means to use their wealth and influence as freely as I do mine for humanity rather than for themselves. I regret that my fortune is only moderate and that I am not a man of large wealth only because large wealth would enable me to give more.

"Others measure my fortune by what I give. I give what I can, and not merely in proportion to what others who could do more are giving. I would be ashamed to adopt such a standard. I would be ashamed to give what I now give if I had any considerable part of the wealth which is accredited to me."

And the finest tribute paid Straus for his work in behalf of unfortunate humanity was penned by the late Edward Bock in his volume "Dollars Only."

"I do not think that the business acumen of a man like Nathan Straus will be particularly glorified when he passes away. What his commentators will remember is his wonderful work for unfortunate humanity which he has done, and, happily, is still doing; a work which has been distinguished because of the presence of the quality of self-help to those for whom its benefits are intended to reach. No single man has, perhaps, done more in the last forty years for the better health of children, and for those men and women who were unemployed or homeless, than has Mr. Straus. Yet he never gave his milk, coal, or lodging quarters. His invariable rule has been that folk, however, should either pay for what they got or earn it. Only in the case of physicians who practised among the poor or charitable institutions, did Mr. Straus depart from his rule. When one thinks how grocers formerly retailed their milk dipped from large cans, and the present method of milk sold in individual bottles, Mr. Straus has a marvellous life-saving record that is impossible to estimate. Through seventeen milk and coal stations and four lodging-houses Mr. Straus has operated, not only by supplying milk and coal, a bed and breakfast, but he began through these agencies to educate the people to the value of the pasteurization of milk. We accept now this method of the treatment of milk as if it always existed, whereas when Mr. Straus began his propaganda, thirty-three years ago, the principle was unknown and, except in laboratories, untried. How many lives of children have been saved from tuberculosis by this crusade against bacteria-infected milk no records can or ever will show. It has been given to few men to be spared to see the results of his marvellous work as has been the privilege of Nathan Straus. No man of his generation has been more successful in pointing the way to the truest service to a larger number of people: to help people to help themselves. And this will be the capstone of his monument."

The School Settlement Controversy in Montreal

By H. M. CAISERMAN

Below is a belated article from Mr. Caiserman, Chairman of the Montreal Separate School Committee. There are no errors in it that are typographical. No changes have been made. Two paragraphs of an offensive personal nature concerning two members of the Jewish School Commission have been omitted as having nothing to do with the case. All the members of the Jewish School Commission were furnished with copies of Mr. Caiserman's article and invited to reply. While several expressed their appreciation of the courtesy of the Review, Dr. Wiseman was the only one to reply directly to the article in question. No further correspondence on this subject will be accepted for publication. No comment will be made on it in any department of the Review. As far as this paper is concerned the episode is closed.—The Editor.

In the various articles and statements which I have published in the name of the Jewish Separate School Committee, I have accused the Jewish School Commissioners, Messrs. Samuel W. Livingstone, Edgar Berliner, Nathan Gordon, A. Z. Cohen, Dr. Max Wiseman, Rabbi H. Abramowitz and Michael Garber as assimilators, who have negotiated an unfortunate agreement with our Protestant neighbours, have consciously abandoned all acquired Jewish School rights, and have by their action promoted the abrogation of the Jewish School law, which gave us by statute actual rights for the present and for the future.

That part of the Community that does not need, nor wants Jewish Nationalism, Talmud Thorahs, Jewish and Hebrew Culture, has approved the 1930 School Contract. The Jewish Press (excepting the "Canadian Jewish Review") the Orthodox Rabinate, the Separate School Committee, all Jewish writers in the Dominion, the entire Jewish World Press have denounced the 1930 School Contract.

The great majority of the Jewish population has remained silent, full of apathy and disinterestness.

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It is painful for me to be compelled to publically denounce "Jewish Community leaders", charming individuals in their business and personal capacity, charitable gentlemen and a few of them connected for years with our national movement. But a great Jewish principle is involved and a responsibility which they have not discharged with understanding nor efficiency.

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The 1903 Agreement was as I have pointed out on several occasions, from one important angle, a most unsatisfactory agreement; but as an agreement, it gave the Jews absolutely all rights that the Protestant enjoyed, plus a Conscience-Clause (true, negative and uneffective) but given with the very best of intentions. It contained **as an agreement and as a law,** no discrimination, no limitation of rights neither as to representation, teachers or holidays.

The trouble commenced when the Jewish Community demanded the rights which **they enjoyed under the contract.** And our Protestand neighbours, realizing their obligations, demanded its annulment on constitutional grounds.

The whole agitation which lasted ten years, the whole litagation in all the Courts of the Dominion and the Privy Council in England, was around the elementary demand by the entire community for equal school rights for the Jews within the **Protestant Schools** or in **Separate Jewish Schools.**

The entire Community remembers the solemn declarations of such Venerable Citizens as Mr. Maxwell Goldstein, Nathan Gordon, Peter Bercovitch, H. Weinfield, etc., made at official occassions, that unless they get **equal School rights** they will accept regretfully **Separate Jewish Schools.**

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The Quebec Provincial Government also recognized as equitable and just, the demand of both Jewish factions, for equal rights within the Protestant Schools, or if this is not possible, in Jewish Separate Schools. And as a confirmation of the above opinion held by the Provincial Government of Quebec, it promulgated against Catholic opposition the Jewish School law, which created the Jewish School Commission and charged it with the double duty.

1. To negotiate an understanding with the Protestants.
2. And failing to arrive to such understanding within one year to establish Separate Jewish Schools.

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Can any honest, disinterested observer, admit that the intention of the Legislature and of the Community was to permit under the first clause of the law, the Jewish Commissioners to accept less than the 1903 agreement after ten years of litigation and agitation for the very same principle of equal rights? And how can one dare unless he is dishonest, proclaim the Present Agreement as conferring to the Jews equal School rights? And if it does *not*, as we will presently see, did not the law provide for the Commissioners, a very clear and definite alternative? Have they taken advantage of the alternative, if during the bargaining with the Protestants they learned that they cannot secure equal School rights for the Jewish Community?

These are the questions that Mr. Nathan Gordon in his statements to the J. T. A. and the Canadian Jewish Review and Mr. Michael Garber in the "Day" should have honestly answered instead of colored rethoric!

Now, what rights have the Protestants in their schools?

1. Representation in the School Board.
2. Representation in the Committee of public instruction.
3. Protestant religious education.
4. Teaching and administrative personnel.

In a word all the rights that they need; what are the rights of the Jews under the 1930 agreement?

1. No representation in the School Board.
2. No representation in the Committee of Public Instruction.
3. No Jewish religious Education.
4. No right to the due proportion of teachers (a right which the Protestants distinctly reserved to their discretion).
5. No share of the administrative personnel.

In other words, the Jewish School Commissioners have concluded an agreement which excludes for the Jews, **all the fundamental rights enjoyed by the Protestants** and have accepted instead, a few regulations which under the 1903 Act were self understood.

The silly reminders by Mr. Nathan Gordon of the well known fact that the Privy Council has declared ultra vires, any fundamental Jewish School rights within the Protestant Schools is a frank admission by Mr. Gordon and his associates, that in negotiating an understanding with the Protestants, they have a priory, renounced the principle of equal rights by abandoning all fundamental rights for Jews and also abandoning the alternative of actual equal school rights which the law empowered them to establish, if they so desired. And what has become of the words publically promised by the prominent gentlemen at auspicious occasions, that **unless the Jews get equal School rights they will ask for Separate Schools?**

I claim before the public opinion of the Jewish world that there is only one morality, which has in Montreal received a most immoral handling, its flag being **renounciation, liquidation** of Jewish rights.

The statement of Mr. Nathan Gordon that Dr. Abramowitz presented the demand to the Protestants that Jewish subjects be included in the ciriculum, and that the Protestant board refused to consider same, is an illustration of the lack of Jewish principles exhibited by the Commissioners.

Th facts behind this statement of Mr. Gordon are: Rabbi Abramowitz seconded by A. Z. Cohen, Dr. Wiseman and M. Garber adopted a demand for half hour Jewish subjects the cost of which to be covered by a special tax on the Jewish parents. Any educator knows that in less than at least an hour per day, no decent program of Jewish education could be designed and that a special tax on Jewish parents would **be a most dangerous precedent.** The few leaders that were consulted on the subject unanimously declared such proposal worthless. Instead of improving same and stand o fall by it, they pure and simply submitted to the will and dictation of the Protestants, forgetting I am sure, that the law gave them an alternative!

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In the face of such liquidation and inefficiency I understand well, Rabbi Harry J. Stern's gratitude to the Protestant School Board; but cannot by any stretch of imagination understand his gratitude to the Jewish School Commission, unless it is a pleasant duty towards prominent members of his Temple.

I also fail to understand the elementary lack of Jurnalistic Ethics on the part of the Canadian Jewish Review, who while reprinting two statements by Mr. Nathan Gordon in the name of the Jewish School Commission, they advisedly omit to reprint from the same source the statement of the Separate School Committee, in spite of the fact that our name is prominently mentioned in Mr. Gordon's statements.

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In defending the commission of the accusation of assimilationists, Mr. Gordon exhibits a suave naivity by enumerating the affiliations of the various members of the Commission.

Now, what about the statement that 98% of the Community is against Separate Schools. Have the voices been numbered? Are any statistics available?

I only know that following are in favour of Separate Schools:

1. The Council of Orthodox Rabbis.
2. The whole Canadian Jewish Press with the exception of the "Canadian Jewish Review."
3. Organized Jewish Labour.
4. A recent symposium in the "Canader Adler" has shown more than three quarter of the participants for Separate Schools and less than one quarter against.
5. The Separate School Committee representing forty organizations.

In the face of the facts, how can one honestly claim that 98% of the Community is against separate Schools? How?

I have read carefully various opinions on the settlement of the school problem but as far as I am concerned, I believe that the messages of Rabbi H. Cohen and Rabbi Zlotnik are the voices of the Jewish People here and abroad.

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Following is Dr. Wiseman's letter:

Editor,

Canadian Jewish Review,

I beg to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated January 9th. Enclosing copy of a pamphlet from Mr. H. M. Caiserman dealing with the Montreal School Question.

This problem in my humble opinion has been solved to the satisfaction of at least ninety per cent of the Jewish population of the Island of Montreal.

The various newspaper polemics have been officially answered by Mr. Nathan Gordon, the Honorary Secretary of the Jewish School Commission, and I fail to see what other material or spiritual benefits may be obtained by prolonging the arguments "ad infinitum".

I am afraid Mr. Caiserman will have to resign himself to the terms of the agreement during its full durmtion of fifteen years.

Thanking you for the keen interest the Canadian Jewish Review has always shown in the affairs of our Community.

Sincerely yours,
Max. Wiseman

A PROPHET

Conductor: How old is this boy?

Mrs. Jacobs: Four.

Conductor (severely): How old are you, sonny?

Boy: Four.

Conductor: Well, I'll let him ride free this time, but I know what he's going to be when he grows up.

Mrs. Jacobs: What is he going to be?

Conductor: Either a liar or a giant.

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